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WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

IN THE

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND DÚN LAOGHAIRE;

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Baile Átha Cliath,
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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial Urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts 17·2 and 16·2; Dublin Registration Area, 16·8 and 15·3; Dublin City, 16·3 and 15·9; Cork, 18·4 and 17·0; Limerick, 23·0 and 24·0; and Waterford, 26·6 and 23·3.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·0 per 1,000. Among the 17 deaths from all causes for Limerick was one from diphtheria; one of the 14 deaths from all causes for Waterford was from whooping-cough, and one of the 2 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny was from the same cause.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 258—134 boys and 124 girls—and the deaths to 148—70 males and 78 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 8) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 16·8 per 1,000 of the population, the rate for all the deaths registered in the Area being 17·7.

Included in the 140 deaths appertaining to the Area are 5 from measles, 2 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 2 from influenza, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles were one, 2, and 4; deaths from whooping-cough, were 0, one and 0; deaths from diphtheria were one, one, and one; deaths from influenza were 0, 3, and 0, and deaths from diarrhoeal diseases were 3, one, and one.

There were 19 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 14 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined).

Tuberculous disease caused 15 deaths (of which 13 were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from tuberculous meningitis) as against 12, 13, and 14, from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, 12 by diseases of the heart, and 14 by bronchitis.

Seven accidental deaths were registered, 3 (2 of which were of children, aged 3 months and 2 years respectively) being due to burns, and 4 to vehicles; and there was one case of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to measles, 3 were due to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, one to gastro-enteritis, 2 to premature birth, 4 to congenital malformation, and 2 to congenital debility.

Forty-one of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 22 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 34 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 26 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 140 deaths recorded, 37 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 5th January in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 15·1) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 14·2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 16·9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 19·9 and for Edinburgh 15·0

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.--BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended **SATURDAY, 5th JANUARY, 1924**, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES or URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1922. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 5th January, 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.		Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	{	Dec. 15	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	2	1	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	5	17
		Dec. 22	3	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	15	
		Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	4	2	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	4	15	
		Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	8	1	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	15	34	
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	{	Dec. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	3	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	9
		Dec. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	2	
		Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.
		Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	{	Dec. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
		Dec. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	
		Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	
		Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	
Blackrock Urban District	{	Dec. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
		Dec. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.
		Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.
		Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	{	Dec. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
		Dec. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
		Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
		Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	3	
City of Cork	{	Dec. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2	—	11
		Dec. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2	—	10
		Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	13
		Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	9
City of Limerick	{	Dec. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
		Dec. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
		Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
		Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	{	Dec. 15	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	1
		Dec. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	1
		Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
		Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 5th January, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 5th January			
	Dec. 15	Dec. 22	Dec. 29	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	20	22	19	2	4	.	17
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	26	19	25	10	7	1	27
Scarlet Fever,	23	28	38	7	6	.	39*
Diphtheria,	46	38	38	4	13	1	28
Pneumonia,	19	16	17	9	6	1	19

* Exclusive of 9 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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Twelve Town Districts (a) 19·8 and 16·9; Dublin Registration Area, 20·3 and 16·6; Dublin City, 20·4 and 16·9; Cork, 19·7 and 17·2; Limerick, 23·0 and 20·3; and Waterford, 19·0 and 20·0.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·9 per 1,000. Among the 29 deaths from all causes for Cork were one from whooping-cough, and one from diphtheria; one of the 17 deaths from all causes for Limerick was from diphtheria, and one of the 10 deaths from all causes for Waterford was from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 222—109 boys and 113 girls—and the deaths to 176—85 males and 91 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 7) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 20·3 per 1,000 of the population. During the two weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 18·6, and was 3·8 below the mean rate for the corresponding portion of the ten years 1914-1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the two weeks was 19·4, and during the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 23·8.

Included in the 169 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever, 2 from measles, 2 from diphtheria, 12 from influenza, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever were one, one, and 0; deaths from measles were 2, 4, and 5; deaths from diphtheria were one, one, and one; deaths from influenza were 3, 0, and 2, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were one, 0, and one.

There were 18 deaths from pneumonia (comprising 12 from broncho-pneumonia, and 6 from pneumonia, not otherwise defined), and 29 deaths from bronchitis. During the three preceding weeks deaths from pneumonia were 9, 10, and 19; and deaths from bronchitis were 15, 15, and 14.

Tuberculous disease caused 19 deaths (of which 13 were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 13, 14, and 15, from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, and 15 by diseases of the heart.

Three accidental deaths were registered, one of which was caused by a train.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to diphtheria, one to influenza, one to tuberculosis, one to meningitis, 3 to bronchitis, 5 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to pneumonia, 2 to gastro-enteritis, 5 to premature birth, 2 to congenital malformation, and 4 to congenital debility.

Forty-five of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 29 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 47 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 36 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 169 deaths recorded, 58 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 12th January in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 16·8) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 15·3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 17·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 20·1 and for Edinburgh 13·9

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

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URBAN AREAS	POPULATION.		BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		BIRTHS		DEATHS.		CAUSED BY														METEOROLOGY.																													
	Total (a)	Per 1,000 Persons to an A.C.	From all Causes.		From principal Epidemic Diseases. (b)		TOTAL NUMBER.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Air Temperature.					Rainfall in Inches.																				
			(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)												(7)	(8)		(9)	(10)							(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)		(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS	670 256	19.2	24.3	19.8	0.9	312	255	35	79	1	.	.	2	.	2	4	.	13	21	6	13	26	39	2	.	6	6	91	16	.	.	0	0	.	0	.	Mean of (A) and (B).																	
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	435 000	31.1	24.0	20.3	0.8	200	169	29	47	1	.	.	2	.	.	2	.	12	13	6	9	18	32	2	.	3	4	58	7	(c) 49.0	27.5	43.4	32.4	38.9	1.70	Absolute Highest.																		
DUBLIN CITY	333 000	40.8	27.1	20.4	0.9	173	130	22	32	1	.	.	2	.	.	2	.	4	12	5	6	11	29	1	.	2	3	48	6	{(d) 50.0	31.9	45.3	36.6	41.0	1.52	Absolute Lowest.																		
RATHMINES & RATHGAR URBAN DISTRICT	42 300	24.7	9.9	13.6	.	8	11	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	Mean Maximum (A).
PENBROKE	31 700	20.2	21.4	19.7	1.6	13	12	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	1	2	1	1	1	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	Mean Minimum (B).				
BLACKROCK	10 100	9.3	5.2	41.3	.	1	8	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	2	1										
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17 900	12.2	14.6	23.3	.	5	8	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	51	32	43.4	37.0	41.2	1.75											
CORK CITY	76 673	28.6	23.8	19.7	1.4	35	29	1	13	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	5	.	2	3	3	.	.	.	1	1	14	1													
LIMERICK	38 518	16.1	51.4	23.0	1.4	38	17	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	1	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	8	2									
WATERFORD CITY	27 464	19.1	22.8	19.0	1.9	12	10	2	4	1	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	3																	
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	13 255	2.5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Return.				6	1																	
DUNDALK (g)	13 128	9.5	9.5	11.6	1	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA	12 501	8.4	12.6	11.6	1	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD	11 631	22.8	22.8	22.8	1	7	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO	11 163	2.8	11.6	11.6	1	5	6	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1																
KILKENNY	10 514	11.4	11.4	11.4	1	3	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TRALEE	10 300	17.4	17.4	17.4	1	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CLONMEL	10 209	4.8	4.8	4.8	1	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	434 000	29.1	19.8	17.7	1.0	165	147	26	43	.	.	.	5	.	.	1	.	.	14	3	12	17	27	.	.	.	2	36	2	50.0	26.5	43.3	33.7	34.0	30.79																			
LONDONDERY CITY	47 000	18.2																	
LONDON	4 534 230	—	—	16.8	—	1 667	1 457	154	579	.	.	.	49	1	14	14	—	—	99	11	131	157	221	18	3	54	113	691	2	27	42.9	30.3	36.6	60.56																				
EDINBURGH	427 500	—	—	13.9	0.1	184	114	10	52	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	2	—	—	—	20	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	45.0	19.0	39.0	28.1	33.6	60.90													
GLASGOW	1 051 000	—	—	20.1	3.7	483	405	68	112	.	.	.	48	1	15	5	—	1	—	—	—	106	—	—	—	12	—	—	43.2	23.0	38.7	31.0	34.9	1.65																				

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TABLE 11.—Showing for the week ended, Saturday, 12th January, 1924, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several Registrars' Districts in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.				ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY																IN INSTITUTIONS.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																											
ESTI-MATED POPU-LATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	FROM ALL CAUSES		FROM PRIN-CIPAL EPI-DEMIC DIS-EASES†	Under 1 year.	1 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber-culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Res-piratory System.		Other.	Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In INSTITUTIONS.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
	FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM PRIN-CIPAL EPI-DEMIC DIS-EASES†																		Pulmonary.	Other Forms.		Pneumonia.	Other.							In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																			
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Urban Districts.	NORTH CITY, No. 1, E. -		32,200	21.1	1.6	13	4	2	2	1	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3</

* The Populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 12th January, 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Dec. 22	3	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	15
	Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	4	2	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	4	15
	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	8	1	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	15	34
	Jan. 12	2	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	13	32
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Dec. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	2
	Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	—	5
Pembroke Urban District	Dec. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	2	10
Blackrock Urban District	Dec. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Dec. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
City of Cork	Dec. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	7	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	2	—	10
	Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	7	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	13
	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	2	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	9
	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	9	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	13
City of Limerick	Dec. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
City of Waterford	Dec. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	7
	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 12th January, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 12th January			
	Dec. 22	Dec. 29	Jan. 5	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	22	19	17	2	2	1	16
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	19	25	27	7	11	1	22
Scarlet Fever,	28	38	39	6	7	.	38*
Diphtheria,	38	38	28	6	3	1	30
Pneumonia,	16	17	19	10	5	.	24

* Exclusive of 10 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts (a) 20·7 and 17·9; Dublin Registration Area, 24·8 and 19·1; Dublin City, 25·5 and 19·3; Cork, 14·3 and 17·0; and Waterford, 20·9 and 20·0.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·9 per 1,000. Three of the 11 deaths from all causes for Waterford were from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 205—107 boys and 98 girls—and the deaths to 217—102 males and 115 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 10) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 24·8 per 1,000 of the population. During the three weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 20·6, and was 1·5 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914-1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the three weeks was 21·6, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 23·6.

Included in the 207 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever, 4 from measles, 1 from diphtheria, 17 from influenza, and 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever were one, 0, and one; deaths from measles were 4, 5, and 2; deaths from diphtheria were one, one, and 2; deaths from influenza were 0, 2, and 12, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 0, one, and 2.

There were 45 deaths from pneumonia (comprising 29 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar-pneumonia, and 13 from pneumonia, not otherwise defined), and 39 deaths from bronchitis. During the three preceding weeks deaths from pneumonia were 10, 19, and 18; and deaths from bronchitis were 15, 14, and 28.

Tuberculous disease caused 22 deaths (of which 19 were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 14, 15, and 19, from all forms of tuberculous disease in the three weeks preceding.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, and 14 by diseases of the heart.

One accidental death was registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to tuberculosis, 8 to broncho-pneumonia, 4 to pneumonia, one to enteritis, one to premature birth, one to congenital malformation, and 5 to congenital debility.

Fifty of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 23 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 69 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 53 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 207 deaths recorded, 72 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 19th January in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 15·7) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 14·8 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 17·6 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 18·5 and for Edinburgh 16·4

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

(a) See note (g) at foot of Table I.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 19th January, 1924, in the DUNDEE REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES or URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDEERY CITIES (*excluding of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

URBAN AREAS	POPULATION.		BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		BIRTHS		DEATHS.																METEOROLOGY.														
	Total (a)	Per-sons to an Acre.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by	BIRTHS		DEATHS.																METEOROLOGY.													
			From all Causes.	From principal Epidemic Diseases. (b)	At 65 years and upwards.	Under 1 year of Age.		Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber-culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 15 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Absolute Highest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.								
																Pulmonary.	Other Forms.		Pneumonia.	Other.																			
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)						(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS	670,256	19.2	21.6	20.7	0.9	278	266	29	87	1	.	4	.	3	1	.	18	24	3	11	51	51	3	.	3	1						91	8	.	0	0	.	0	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	435,000	31.1	22.4	24.8	1.1	187	207	23	69	1	.	4	.	.	1	.	17	19	3	6	45	40	3	.	1	.	72	1	(c) 53.0	24.1	48.1	37.1	42.6	0.74					
DUBLIN CITY	333,000	40.8	23.0	25.5	1.1	147	163	20	52	1	.	4	.	.	.	.	11	17	3	4	36	35	2	.	1	.	61	1	{(d) 52.0	30.9	48.1	39.8	44.0	0.93	
RATHMINES & RATHGAR URBAN DISTRICT	42,300	24.7	18.5	12.3	.	15	10	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	1	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	5						
PEMBROKE	31,700	20.2	14.8	29.6	5.2	9	18	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	3	3	.	.	.	.	6						
BLACKROCK	10,100	9.3	25.8	31.0	5.2	5	6	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	{(e) 53.0	25.4	48.1	38.8	43.5	0.77
DUN LAOGHAIRE	17,900	12.2	32.0	29.1	1.2	11	10	.	6	1	.	2	2	1	52	30	48.5	39.2	43.8	1.40				
CORK CITY	76,673	28.6	21.1	14.3	.	31	21	2	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	6	.	.	.	1	1	6	1					
LIMERICK (g)	38,518	16.1	—	—	5.7	3	5	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD CITY	27,464	19.1	19.0	20.9	5.7	10	11	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	1	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	13,255	2.5	9.5	2.5	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Return.	9	3	.	1	2	2	2				
DUNDALK	13,128	9.5	8.4	8.4	8.4	12	4	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA (g)	12,501	8.4	22.8	22.8	22.8	8	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD	11,651	22.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	6	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO	11,163	2.8	11.4	11.4	11.4	4	4	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	30	43.0	38.0	40.5	2.07
KILKENNY	10,514	11.4	17.4	17.4	17.4	4	4	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	27	47.4	38.2	42.8	1.97
TRALEE	10,300	17.4	—	—	—	3	4	1	2	1				
CLONMEL	10,209	4.8	—	—	—	1	1	.	1	1				
BELFAST CITY	434,000	29.1	24.0	18.0	0.6	200	150	32	50	.	.	3	.	1	.	.	3	10	3	6	25	20	1	.	3	6	41	2	49.5	28.0	43.3	34.4	39.8	2.72					
LONDONDERRY CITY	47,000	18.2	26.6	18.9	1.1	24	17	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	3	2	2	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,534,230	—	—	15.7	—	1,738	1,363	133	579	2	.	42	7	10	13	—	—	88	13	135	159	178	14	2	42	108	627	2	51	32	48.0	39.1	43.6	0.84					
EDINBURGH	427,500	—	—	16.4	0.2	156	134	12	53	.	.	.	2	1	7	—	—	—	—	—	24	—	5	—	8	—	—	—	49.0	28.0	44.3	32.7	38.5	0.64					
GLASGOW	1,051,000	—	—	18.5	3.1	509	372	73	96	.	.	40	1	10	7	—	—	—	—	—	94	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1922. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree. (g) The Returns for Limerick Nos. 1 and 3, and Drogheda No. 1 Districts have not been received.

TABLE II:—Showing for the week ended, Saturday, 19th January, 1924, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY																				TOTAL DEATHS.	FROM PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES†											
			FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES†	CAUSED BY																																
					Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.		Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.		
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)			
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																					
Urban Districts.	NORTH CITY, No. 1, E.	32,200	25.9	16	5	1	2	4	1	3	2	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" 1 W.	44,100	26.0	22	5	2	4	6	3	2	5	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" 2	29,500	42.4	24	1	3	2	6	3	6	5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" 3	36,600	24.2	17	1	2	4	5	3	3	2	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,900	44.2	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,600	14.3	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,900	21.9	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	SOUTH CITY, No. 1	46,100	20.4	18	9	2	2	1	1	1	2	5	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
	" 2	19,500	24.1	9	2	2	1	1	1	1	2	5	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
	" 3	46,400	29.2	26	2	2	1	1	1	1	4	7	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
" 4	35,100	22.3	15	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
NEW KILMAINHAM	11,100	9.4	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
Urban Districts.	RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	42,300	12.3	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
	PENBROKE	31,700	29.6	18	1	3	1	1	1	3	5	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
	BLACKROCK	10,100	31.0	6	2	2	1	1	1	3	5	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
	DŪN LAOGHAIRE	17,900	29.1	10	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Total City of Dublin		333,000	25.5	163	20	12	9	3	4	19	44	52	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	11	17	3	4	36	35	2	1	49	1	36	25	1	1			
Total Urban Districts		102,000	22.5	44	3	6	1	1	2	5	11	17	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	2	1	2	9	5	1	1	18	1	7	4	1	1			
Total Dublin Registration Area		435,000	24.8	207	23	18	9	3	6	24	55	69	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	17	19	3	6	45	40	3	1	67	1	43	29	1	1			
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the Registration Area (not included in above)																																					
CITY OF CORK.																																					
Cork City Districts	CORK URBAN, No. 1	13,455	7.8	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
	" 2	10,399	10.0	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
	" 3	9,793	16.0	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
	" 4	9,139	17.1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
	" 5	6,250	8.3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
	" 6	11,581	9.0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
	" 7	16,056	26.0	8	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Total City of Cork		76,673	14.3	21	2	1	1	1	1	2	10	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 19th January, 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis	Varicella	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	4	2	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	4	15
	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	15	34
	Jan. 12	2	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	13	32
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	13	22
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	—	5
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	1
	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	12	.	.	—	2	10
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	13
	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	9
	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	9	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	13
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	10
City of Limerick	Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
City of Waterford	Dec. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	1
	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	7
	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	1

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 19th January, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 19th January			
	Dec. 29	Jan. 5	Jan. 12	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	19	17	16	.	3	1	12
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	25	27	22	13	6	1	28
Scarlet Fever,	38	39	38	3	12	.	29*
Diphtheria,	38	28	30	5	9	.	26
Pneumonia,	17	19	24	11	3	6	26

* Exclusive of 12 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 27.2 and 21.2; Dublin Registration Area, 34.5 and 24.1; Dublin City, 36.0 and 24.1; Cork, 12.9 and 16.3; Limerick, 9.5 and 15.6; and Waterford, 7.6 and 18.5.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.1 per 1,000. Two of the 19 deaths from all causes for Cork were from whooping-cough, one of the 7 deaths from all causes for Limerick was from influenza, and one of the 5 deaths for Kilkenny and one of the 5 deaths for Clonmel were from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 212—115 boys and 97 girls—and the deaths to 313—134 males and 179 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 25) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 34.5 per 1,000 of the population. During the four weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 24.1, and was 2.1 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the four weeks was 25.6, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 23.5.

Included in the 288 deaths appertaining to the Area are 3 from measles, 4 from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

Deaths from influenza, which, during the four weeks ended 19th instant, numbered 0, 2, 12, and 17, respectively, rose to 71 last week, comprising 25 deaths of males and 46 of females. Of the 71 deaths, representing an annual rate of 8.5 per 1,000 of the estimated population, 30 were those of persons aged 60 years or upwards (including 23 aged 65 years and over) and 11 of children under 5 years of age. Fifty-eight of the 71 deaths were caused by influenza with pulmonary complications.

There were 66 deaths from pneumonia (of males 32, and of females 34), as compared with 10, 19, 18, and 45 in the four weeks preceding. Of the 66 deaths, 40 were of children under 5 years of age.

Bronchitis caused 42 deaths (of males 16, and of females 26). In the four preceding weeks deaths from bronchitis numbered 15, 14, 28, and 38, respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 14 deaths as against 15, 19, and 22, in the three weeks preceding.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, and 18 by diseases of the heart.

Four accidental deaths were registered, one (that of a child, aged 3 months), being due to burns, and one to drowning.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to diphtheria, 3 were due to influenza, one to tuberculosis, 2 to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 13 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, one to gastro-enteritis, 3 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Eighty of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 35 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 91 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 56 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 288 deaths recorded, 84 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 26th January in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 14.9) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 14.3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 17.9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 20.8 and for Edinburgh, 16.4.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 26th January, 1924, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES or URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDON DERRY CITIES (exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

URBAN AREAS	POPULATION.		BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		BIRTHS		DEATHS.		CAUSED BY		DEATHS.															METEOROLOGY.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																		
	Total (a)	Per-sons to an Acre.	From all Causes.		From principal Epidemic Diseases. (b)		TOTAL NUMBER.		Under 1 year of Age.		At 65 years and upwards.		Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber-culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diphtheria, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Air Temperature.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																													
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TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 26th January, 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Jan. 5	5	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	8	1	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	15	34
	Jan. 12	2	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	13	32
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	13	22
	Jan. 26	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	11	.	.	.	18	34
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Jan. 5	5	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	—	5
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Jan. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	2	10
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Jan. 26	.	.	.	.	.	8	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	11
Blackrock Urban District	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
City of Cork	Jan. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	9
	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	9	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	13
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	10
	Jan. 26	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	—	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	10
City of Limerick	Jan. 5	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Jan. 12	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Jan. 19	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Jan. 26	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Jan. 5	—	6	—	1	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	7
	Jan. 12	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
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TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 26th January, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 26th January			
	Jan. 5	Jan. 12	Jan. 19	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	17	16	12	.	8	1	3
Typhus,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	27	22	28	10	3	1	34
Scarlet Fever,..	39	38	29	3	5	.	27*
Diphtheria,	23	30	26	8	5	1	28
Pneumonia,	19	24	26	15	7	3	31

* Exclusive of 9 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 28.1 and 24.0; Dublin Registration Area, 33.0 and 28.2; Dublin City, 37.4 and 29.8; Cork, 16.3 and 15.8; Limerick, 17.6 and 14.2; and Waterford, 22.8 and 17.6.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.2 per 1,000. One of the 24 deaths from all causes for Cork and one of the 12 deaths from all causes for Waterford were from whooping-cough, and one of the 8 deaths for Galway was from measles.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 202—104 boys and 98 girls—and the deaths to 290—132 males and 158 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 15) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 33.0 per 1,000 of the population. During the five weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 25.9, and was 4.0 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the five weeks was 27.4, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 23.5.

Included in the 275 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever, 5 from measles, 2 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

Deaths from influenza, which, during the four weeks ended 26th ultimo, numbered 2, 12, 17, and 71, respectively, fell to 40 last week, comprising 14 deaths of males and 26 of females. Of the 40 deaths, representing an annual rate of 4.8 per 1,000 of the estimated population, 17 were those of persons aged 60 years or upwards (including 14 aged 65 years and over) and one of a child under 5 years of age. Twenty-six of the 40 deaths were caused by influenza with pulmonary complications.

There were 76 deaths from pneumonia (of males 48, and of females 28), as compared with 19, 18, 45, and 66, in the four weeks preceding. Of the 76 deaths, 65 were of children under 5 years of age.

Bronchitis caused 40 deaths (of males 11, and of females 29). In the four preceding weeks deaths from bronchitis numbered 14, 28, 38, and 42, respectively. Twenty-eight of the 40 deaths were of persons aged 65 years and over.

Tuberculous disease caused 18 deaths as against 19, 22, and 14, in the three weeks preceding. Seven deaths were caused by cancer, and 16 by diseases of the heart.

Three accidental deaths were registered, and there was one death by homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to measles, one to tuberculous meningitis, one to sarcoma, one to meningitis, 2 to convulsions, 4 to bronchitis, 21 to broncho-pneumonia, 3 to pneumonia, one to empyema, 2 to gastro-enteritis, 4 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

One hundred and one deaths, representing 37 per cent. of the deaths at all ages, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 43 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 81 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 59 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 275 deaths recorded, 92 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 2nd February in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 18.2) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 15.8 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 17.0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 20.5 and for Edinburgh, 15.3.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 2nd February, 1924, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES or URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

URBAN AREAS.	POPULATION.		BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		BIRTHS		DEATHS.																		METEOROLOGY.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																
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CLONMEL	10,209	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	5	3	1

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1922. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree. (g) Including 2 deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended, Saturday, 2nd February, 1924, the number of Deaths of Residents in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY														TOTAL DEATHS.				Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the Registration Area (not included in above)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																														
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Dublin City Districts.	NORTH CITY, No. 1, E.	32,200	50.2	3.2	31	9	1	4	1	5	13	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 2nd February, 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Jan. 12	2	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	13	32
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	13	22
	Jan. 26	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	11	.	.	.	18	34
	Feb. 2	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	10	2	.	—	.	.	.	10	.	.	.	11	38
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	—	5
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Jan. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Feb. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	2	10
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Jan. 26	.	.	.	.	.	8	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	11
	Feb. 2	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	6
Blackrock Urban District	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	Feb. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	9	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	13
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	10
	Jan. 26	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	—	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
	Feb. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	13	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	16
City of Limerick	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Jan. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Feb. 2	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
City of Waterford	Jan. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Jan. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 2nd February, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 2nd February			
	Jan. 12	Jan. 19	Jan. 26	No. admitted.	Dis-charged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	16	12	3	2	.	.	5
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	22	28	34	9	11	3	29
Scarlet Fever,.. ..	38	29	27	5	8	.	24*
Diphtheria,	30	26	28	11	9	.	30
Pneumonia,	24	26	31	27	12	5	41

* Exclusive of 13 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 23·6 and 24·9; Dublin Registration Area, 27·3 and 29·9; Dublin City, 30·7 and 32·4; Cork, 18·4 and 15·5; Limerick, 14·9 and 12·2; and Waterford, 9·5 and 15·2.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·0 per 1,000. One of the 27 deaths from all causes for Cork was from diphtheria, and one from influenza, one of the 3 deaths from all causes for Wexford was from whooping-cough, and among the 9 deaths for Tralee were 2 from whooping-cough and one from diarrhoea.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 244—139 boys and 105 girls—and the deaths to 242—112 males and 130 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 27·3 per 1,000 of the population. During the six weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 26·1, and was 4·3 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the six weeks was 27·7, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 23·4.

Included in the 228 deaths appertaining to the Area are 3 from measles, 3 from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

Deaths from influenza, which, during the four weeks ended 2nd instant, numbered 12, 17, 71, and 40, respectively, rose to 41 last week, comprising 15 deaths of males and 26 of females. Of the 41 deaths, representing an annual rate of 4·9 per 1,000 of the estimated population, 18 were those of persons aged 60 years or upwards (including 17 aged 65 years and over) and 10 of children under 5 years of age. Twenty-six of the 40 deaths were caused by influenza with pulmonary complications.

There were 41 deaths from pneumonia (of males 21, and of females 20), as compared with 18, 45, 66, and 76, in the four weeks preceding. Of the 41 deaths, 29 were those of children under 5 years of age.

Bronchitis caused 22 deaths (of males 13, and of females 9). In the four preceding weeks deaths from bronchitis numbered 28, 38, 42, and 40, respectively. Eighteen of the 22 deaths were of persons aged 65 years and over.

Tuberculous disease caused 19 deaths as against 22, 14, and 18, in the three weeks preceding.

Twelve deaths were caused by cancer, and 21 by diseases of the heart.

Two accidental deaths were registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to measles, 4 to influenza, 2 to bronchitis, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, one to lobar-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation, and 3 to congenital debility.

Sixty-three of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 24 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 71 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 52 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 228 deaths recorded, 73 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 9th February in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 20·0) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 17·0 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 18·0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 20·1 and for Edinburgh, 14·2.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases;

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 9th February, 1924, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

URBAN AREAS	POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS		DEATHS.																METEOROLOGY.													
	Total (a)	Per-sons to an Acre.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		Caused by																Air Temperature.													
			From all Causes.	From principal Epidemic Diseases. (b)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	Under 1 year of Age.																Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.					
										At 65 years and upwards.																										
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)	
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS ...	670,256	19·2	25·8	23·6	1·0	332	304	30	97	.	.	.	3	.	3	4	.	44	23	7	20	49	36	2	1	4	6	94	12	.	0	.	0	.	.	
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA ...	435,000	31·1	26·5	27·3	1·0	221	228	24	71	.	.	.	3	.	.	3	.	41	15	4	12	41	26	2	.	2	3	73	4	(c) 50·231	547·839	9·43	9·0	24	.	.
DUBLIN CITY ...	333,000	40·8	29·6	30·7	1·1	189	196	23	53	.	.	.	3	.	.	2	.	35	13	4	8	35	23	2	.	2	3	69	3	{d} 50·839	548·442	5·45	5·0	54	.	.
RATHMINES & RATHGAR URBAN DISTRICT ...	42,300	24·7	18·5	14·8	1·2	15	12	1	7	1	.	2	2	.	1	3	2	1	1	{e} 51·034	648·441	3·44	8·0	38	.	.
PEMBROKE " ...	31,700	20·2	18·1	24·7	.	11	15	.	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKROCK " ...	10,100	9·3	5·2	5·2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE " ...	17,900	12·2	14·6	11·7	.	5	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CORK CITY ...	76,673	28·6	21·1	18·4	0·7	31	27	4	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	4	3	3	.	.	.	1	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK " ...	38,518	16·1	40·6	14·9	.	30	11	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	3	3	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD CITY ...	27,464	19·1	13·3	9·5	.	7	5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY URBAN DIST. ...	13,255	2·5	2·5	2·5	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUNDALK " ...	13,128	9·5	9·5	9·5	.	3	7	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA " ...	12,501	8·4	8·4	8·4	.	8	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD " ...	11,531	22·8	22·8	22·8	.	5	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO " ...	11,163	2·8	2·8	2·8	.	11	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
KILKENNY " ...	10,514	11·4	11·4	11·4	.	4	5	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
TRALEE " ...	10,300	17·4	17·4	17·4	.	5	9	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
CLONMEL " ...	10,209	4·8	4·8	4·8	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY ...	434,000	29·1	23·9	21·5	0·8	199	179	32	46	.	.	.	2	1	3	.	.	15	14	8	7	35	31	1	.	.	3	2	30	30·0	48·639	9·44	2·0	40	.	
LONDONDERRY CITY ...	47,000	18·2	18·9	11·1	.	17	10	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	2	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON ...	4,534,230	—	—	20·0	—	1,750	1,741	190	707	1	.	.	39	3	17	12	—	—	99	14	128	277	260	11	3	43	112	775	1	51	37	47·7	39·0	43·4	40·27	.
EDINBURGH ...	427,500	—	—	14·2	0·7	178	116	10	49	1	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	16	3	—	—	—	34·0	46·639	3	42·9	40·11	.
GLASGOW ...	1,051,000	—	—	20·1	2·3	543	405	93	104	.	.	.	24	.	15	4	—	—	—	—	—	129	.	4	—	14	—	—	—	36·7	47·039	9·43	50·28	50·4	.	.

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REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		TOTAL DEATHS.		CAUSED BY													IN INSTI- TUTIONS.			Number of Uncertified Deaths.															
			FROM PRIN- CIPAL CAUSES				FROM EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES†		CAUSED BY																													
			(1)	(2)			(3)	(4)	Under 1 year.	1 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.					Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Diseases of Res- piratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																						
NORTH CITY, No. 1, E.		32,200	43.7	1.6	27	2	4	3	1	3	5	5	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	6	3	1	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	3	34	3
" " 1 W.		44,100	30.7	.	26	9	2	1	1	1	4	8	5	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	7	2	1	1	5	4	.	.	.	.	.	7	4	6	1	
" " 2		29,500	51.3	3.5	29	1	2	1	1	1	4	4	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	1	1	1	5	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	4	4	4	
" " 3		36,600	14.2	1.4	10	1	2	1	.	.	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	1	1	1	2	2	2	4	2	3	3	3
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of		5,900	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GOOLACK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of		14,600	25.0	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of		11,900	8.8	.	2	3	2	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SOUTH CITY, No. 1		46,100	35.1	1.1	31	8	4	.	1	5	5	7	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	2	.	1	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" " 2		19,500	21.4	1.1	8	5	4	5	1	2	5	5	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	2	.	.	8	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" " 3		46,400	40.4	1.1	36	1	4	.	1	2	5	5	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	2	.	.	8	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" " 4		35,100	23.8	1.5	16	2	3	.	.	2	3	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	2	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
NEW KILMAINHAM		11,100	18.8	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR		42,300	14.8	1.2	12	1	.	1	.	.	1	3	7	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	1	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
FEBROCK		31,700	24.7	.	15	.	.	.	1	1	1	3	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	2	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKROCK		10,100	5.2	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE		17,900	11.7	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total City of Dublin		333,000	30.7	1.1	196	23	26	11	3	10	31	39	53	.	.	.	3	.	2	.	.	35	13	4	8	35	23	2	.	.	2	69	3	35	34	3		
Total Urban Districts		102,000	16.4	0.5	32	1	.	2	1	1	2	7	18	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	6	2	.	.	4	6	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total Dublin Registration Area		435,000	27.3	1.0	228	24	26	13	4	11	33	46	71	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	41	15	4	12	41	26	2	.	.	2	79	3	39	34	4		
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the Registration Area (not included in above)					14	.	.	1	.	6	3	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	3	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	5	1	12	2	.	.
CITY OF CORK.																																						
CORK URBAN, No. 1		13,455	19.4	.	5	1	1	3	1	1	2	1	1
" " 2		10,399	15.0	5.0	3	1	.	.	.	2	2	1	1
" " 3		9,793	16.0	.	3	1	1	1	1
" " 4		9,139	22.8	.	4	2	1	1	1
" " 5		6,250	33.4	.	4	1	2	1
" " 6		11,581	22.5	.	5	1	2	2
" " 7		16,056	9.7	.	3	3
Total City of Cork		76,673	18.4	0.7	27	4	.	.	.	.	6	8	9	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	.	4	3	3	.	.	.	1	12	1	.	.	.	.

*The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

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City of Dublin	Jan. 19	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	13	22
	Jan. 26	1	—	.	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	11	.	.	.	18	34
	Feb. 2	1	—	4	—	10	2	.	—	.	.	.	10	.	.	.	11	38
	Feb. 9	3	—	2	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	12	28
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Jan. 19	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Jan. 26	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Feb. 2	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	1
	Feb. 9	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Jan. 19	2	—	—	.	2
	Jan. 26	8	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	11
	Feb. 2	6	—	—	.	6
	Feb. 9	—	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Jan. 19	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Jan. 26	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 2	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 9	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Jan. 19	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 26	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	3
	Feb. 2	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 9	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Jan. 19	—	7	2	—	.	1	—	10
	Jan. 26	1	1	1	—	6	1	—	.	.	—	10
	Feb. 2	1	—	13	2	—	.	.	—	16
	Feb. 9	4	—	4	1	—	.	.	—	9
City of Limerick	Jan. 19	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Jan. 26	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Feb. 2	1	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Feb. 9	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Jan. 19	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Jan. 26	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 2	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 9	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	2

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 9th February, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 9th February			
	Jan. 19	Jan. 26	Feb. 2	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	12	3	5	5	1	.	9
Typhus,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	28	34	29	11	8	.	32
Scarlet Fever,	29	27	24	4	6	.	22*
Diphtheria,	26	28	30	4	4	1	29
Pneumonia,	26	31	41	10	14	6	31

* Exclusive of 12 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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Twelve Town Districts, 20·2 and 24·8; Dublin Registration Area, 21·3 and 29·0; Dublin City, 22·1 and 31·6; Cork, 12·9 and 15·1; Limerick, 23·0 and 16·3; and Waterford, 24·7 and 16·2.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·6 per 1,000. Of the 5 deaths from all causes for Wexford one was from whooping-cough, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and among the 5 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny was one from whooping-cough. There were 3 deaths from influenza in Waterford and one death in each of Limerick, Kilkenny, Tralee and Clonmel.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 229—115 boys and 114 girls—and the deaths to 186—92 males and 94 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 8) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 21·3 per 1,000 of the population. During the seven weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 25·4, and was 3·6 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the seven weeks was 26·9, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 23·4.

Included in the 178 deaths appertaining to the Area are 3 from measles, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

Deaths from influenza, which, during the four weeks ended 9th instant, numbered 17, 71, 40, and 41, respectively, fell to 20 last week, comprising 9 deaths of males and 11 of females. Of the 20 deaths, representing an annual rate of 2·4 per 1,000 of the estimated population, 7 were those of persons aged 60 years or upwards (including 5 aged 65 years and over) and 5 of children under 5 years of age. Eleven of the 20 deaths were caused by influenza with pulmonary complications.

There were 35 deaths from pneumonia (of males 16, and of females 19), as compared with 45, 66, 76, and 41 in the four weeks preceding. Of the 35 deaths, 22 were those of children under 5 years of age.

Bronchitis caused 21 deaths (of males 12, and of females 9). In the four preceding weeks deaths from bronchitis numbered 38, 42, 40 and 22, respectively. Fifteen of the 21 deaths were of persons aged 65 years and over.

Tuberculous disease caused 20 deaths as against 14, 18, and 19, in the three weeks preceding.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, and 20 by diseases of the heart.

No violent deaths were registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to influenza, one to measles, one to meningitis, 4 to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 9 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation, and 4 to congenital debility.

Fifty-four of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 35 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 48 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 36 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 178 deaths recorded, 56 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 16th February in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 19·5) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 17·5 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 17·4 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 19·0 and for Edinburgh, 11·9.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases

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URBAN AREAS	POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS		DEATHS.														CAUSED BY										METEOROLOGY.																						
	Total (a)	Per-sons to an Acre.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		TOTAL NUMBER		Under 1 year of Age.		At 65 years and upwards.		Enteric Fever.	Typhus	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber-culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Unidentified Deaths.	Air Temperature.				Rainfall in Inches.																
			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)										(11)	(12)		(13)	(14)							(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)		(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).

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City of Dublin	Jan. 26	1	—	.	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	11	.	.	.	18	34
	Feb. 2	1	—	4	—	10	2	.	—	.	.	.	10	.	.	.	11	38
	Feb. 9	3	—	—	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	12	28
	Feb. 16	2	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	5	16
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Jan. 26	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Feb. 2	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	1
	Feb. 9	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	—	.
	Feb. 16	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
Pembroke Urban District	Jan. 26	8	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	11
	Feb. 2	6	—	—	.	6
	Feb. 9	2	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 16	—	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Jan. 26	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 2	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 9	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 16	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Jan. 26	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	3
	Feb. 2	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 9	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 16	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	Jan. 26	1	1	1	—	6	1	—	.	.	—	10
	Feb. 2	1	—	13	2	—	.	.	—	16
	Feb. 9	4	—	4	1	—	.	.	—	9
	Feb. 16	—	2	—	.	1	—	3
City of Limerick	Jan. 26	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Feb. 2	1	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Feb. 9	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Feb. 16	3	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
City of Waterford	Jan. 26	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 2	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 9	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	2
	Feb. 16	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.

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The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·2 per 1,000. Of the 27 deaths from all causes for Cork two were from whooping-cough, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, one of the 18 deaths from all causes for Limerick was from diphtheria, and one of the 15 deaths for Waterford, and one of the 9 deaths for Kilkenny were from whooping-cough; two of the 7 deaths for Tralee were from diarrhoeal diseases and included in the 7 deaths for Clonmel were 2 from whooping-cough and 2 from diarrhoeal diseases. Deaths from influenza numbered one in Cork, 4 in Limerick, 5 in Waterford, 5 in Dundalk, one in Kilkenny, and 2 in Tralee.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 263—129 boys and 134 girls—and the deaths to 202—99 males and 103 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 18) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 22·1 per 1,000 of the population. During the eight weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 25·0, and was 2·8 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the eight weeks was 26·6, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 23·8.

The only deaths from “the principal epidemic diseases” included in the 184 appertaining to the Area are 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

Deaths from influenza, which, during the four weeks ended 16th instant, numbered 71, 40, 41, and 20, respectively, fell to 14 last week, comprising 3 deaths of males and 11 of females. Seven of the 14 deaths were caused by influenza with pulmonary complications.

There were 30 deaths from pneumonia (of males 14, and of females 16), as compared with 66, 76, 41 and 35 in the four weeks preceding.

Bronchitis caused 27 deaths (of males 13, and of females 14). In the four preceding weeks deaths from bronchitis numbered 42, 40, 22 and 21, respectively.

Tuberculous disease caused 24 deaths as against 18, 19, and 20, in the three weeks preceding.

Twelve deaths were caused by cancer, and 17 by diseases of the heart.

Two violent deaths were registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to convulsions, 4 to bronchitis, 6 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 5 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation, and 4 to congenital debility.

Forty-four of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 29 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 52 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 39 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 184 deaths recorded, 79 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 23rd February in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 21·2) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 18·7 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 19·9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 22·5 and for Edinburgh, 15·0.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week on led Saturday, 23rd February, 1924, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES or URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

URBAN AREAS	POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS		DEATHS.														CAUSED BY										METEOROLOGY.																																																																			
	Total (a)	Per-sons to an Acre.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		TOTAL NUMBER.		TOTAL NUMBER.		At 65 years and upwards.														Under 1 year of Age.										Inquest Cases.										No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.				Number of Uncertified Deaths.				Air Temperature.				Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.																																				
			From all Causes.	From principal Epidemic Diseases. (b)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis years of age.	Diphtheria, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)																																																												
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URBAN AREAS	TOTAL OF 12 MONTHS	DISTRICT	AREA	DOUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	DOUBLIN CITY	RATHVILLAGE & RATHFRY	GAR RATHFRY DISTRICT	PIMBROOK	BLACKROCK	DUN LAOGHAIRE	CORK CITY	LIMERICK	WATERFORD	CITY	GALWAY URBAN DIST.	DUNDALK	DROGHEDA	WEXFORD	SLIGO	KILKENNY	TRALEE	CLONMEL	BELFAST CITY	LONDONDERRY CITY	LONDON	EDINBURGH	GLASGOW	POPULATION.	Per-sons to an Acre.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS		DEATHS.		CAUSED BY														METEOROLOGY.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																							
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† See note (†) at foot of first page.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Feb. 2	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	10	2	.	—	.	.	.	10	.	.	.	11	38
	Feb. 9	3	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	12	28
	Feb. 16	2	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	5	16
	Feb. 23	1	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	15	31
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Feb. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	1
	Feb. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Feb. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	—	3
	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
Pembroke Urban District	Feb. 2	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	6
	Feb. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
Blackrock Urban District	Feb. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Feb. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Feb. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Feb. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	13	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	16
	Feb. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	—	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	9
	Feb. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	3
	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	10
City of Limerick	Feb. 2	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Feb. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Feb. 16	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Feb. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Feb. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 23rd February, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES		No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 23rd February			
		Feb. 2	Feb. 9	Feb. 16	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	.. ..	5	9	10	.	1	.	9
Typhus,	.. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	.. ..	29	32	32	12	7	.	37
Scarlet Fever,	.. ..	24	22	20	19	4	.	35*
Diphtheria,	.. ..	30	29	27	3	3	.	27
Pneumonia,	.. ..	41	31	31	6	9	3	25

* Exclusive of 7 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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Twelve Town Districts, 19·7 and 21·7; Dublin Registration Area, 17·9 and 22·2; Dublin City, 18·8 and 24·1; Cork, 15·6 and 16·3; Limerick, 17·6 and 20·0; and Waterford, 41·8 and 26·1.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·7 per 1,000. One of the 13 deaths from all causes for Limerick was from enteric fever, and one of the 22 deaths for Waterford, and one of the 8 deaths for Tralee were from whooping-cough. Deaths from influenza numbered one in Cork, one in Limerick, 9 in Waterford, one in Galway, 2 in Dundalk, and one in Kilkenny.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 190—91 boys and 99 girls—and the deaths to 166—78 males and 88 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 17) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 17·9 per 1,000 of the population. During the nine weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 24·2, and was 1·6 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the nine weeks was 25·8, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 24·3.

Included in the 149 deaths appertaining to the Area are 3 from measles, 10 from influenza, and 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from measles were 3, 3, and 0; deaths from influenza, were 41, 20, and 14; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, were 2, 2, and 3.

One death from cerebro-spinal fever was recorded.

There were 12 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 5 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 23 deaths.

Tuberculous disease caused 9 deaths (all of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis) as against 19, 20, and 24, in the three weeks preceding.

Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, and 14 by diseases of the heart.

Seven violent deaths were recorded, including one (that of a child aged 3½ years) due to burns, one (that of a child aged 2 years) to scalds, and 3 resulted from crushing on railway.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to measles, 2 were due to convulsions, 5 to bronchitis, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation, and 8 to congenital debility.

Forty-three of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 31 being infants under one year, of whom 11 were under one month old, and 49 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 38 were 70 years of age or over.

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The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 20·7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 24·5 and for Edinburgh, 17·6.

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City of Dublin	Feb. 9	3	—	2	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	12	28
	Feb. 16	2	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	5	16
	Feb. 23	1	—	8	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	15	31
	Mar. 1	1	—	2	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	18	26
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Feb. 9	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 16	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	.	3
	Feb. 23	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	3
	Mar. 1	—	3	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	6
Pembroke Urban District	Feb. 9	—	—	.	2
	Feb. 16	2	.	.	—	—	.	3
	Feb. 23	3	—	—	.	3
	Mar. 1	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	3
Blackrock Urban District	Feb. 9	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 16	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 23	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 1	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Feb. 9	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 16	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	1
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	Mar. 1	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	Feb. 9	4	—	4	1	—	.	—	.	9
	Feb. 16	—	2	—	.	—	.	3
	Feb. 23	2	—	8	—	.	1	—	10
	Mar. 1	—	4	2	1	—	.	—	—	7
City of Limerick	Feb. 9	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 16	3	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	3
	Feb. 23	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 1	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	1
City of Waterford	Feb. 9	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	2
	Feb. 16	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 23	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 1	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 1st March, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 1st March			
	Feb. 9	Feb. 16	Feb. 23	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	9	10	9	2	.	.	11
Typhus,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	32	32	37	10	11	.	36
Scarlet Fever,	22	20	35	8	2	.	41*
Diphtheria,	29	27	27	9	1	.	35
Pneumonia,	31	31	25	2	3	1	23

* Exclusive of 7 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 19·1 and 20·5; Dublin Registration Area, 18·8 and 20·0; Dublin City, 19·4 and 21·3; Cork, 29·9 and 19·2; Limerick, 12·2 and 19·3; and Waterford, 17·1 and 28·0.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·0 per 1,000. Two of the 44 deaths from all causes for Cork, one of the 3 deaths for Galway, one of the 3 deaths for Tralee, and one of the 3 deaths for Clonmel were from whooping-cough. Deaths from influenza numbered 2 in Cork, one in Limerick, 2 in Waterford, and one in Sligo.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 230—120 boys and 110 girls—and the deaths to 176—74 males and 102 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 19) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 18·8 per 1,000 of the population. During the ten weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 23·7, and was 0·7 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the ten weeks was 25·4, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 24·7.

Included in the 157 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever, 4 from measles, one from diphtheria, 9 from influenza, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from measles were 3, 0, and 3; deaths from influenza were 20, 14, and 10; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, were 2, 3, and 3. There were no deaths from enteric fever or from diphtheria during the three preceding weeks.

One death from cerebro-spinal meningitis was recorded.

There were 11 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 7 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 19 deaths.

Tuberculous disease caused 18 deaths (of which 13 were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from abdominal tuberculosis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 20, 24, and 9, in the three weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, and 19 by diseases of the heart.

Three violent deaths were recorded, including one (that of a child aged 1 year 9 months) due to burns.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to measles, one to cerebro-spinal meningitis, one to simple meningitis, one to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 3 were due to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 5 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Thirty-five of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 24 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 54 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 40 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 157 deaths recorded, 63 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 8th March in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 19·3) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 19·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 23·9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 29·0 and for Edinburgh, 19·1.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE II —Showing for the week end-d, Saturday, 8th March, 1924, the number of DEATHS of Residents in the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases†; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS, DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTI- MATED POP- ULATION MIDDLE OF 1924.	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY													IN INSTITU- TIONS.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.																			
		FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES†	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.		Dysentery.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Res- piratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.						
																					Pulmonary.	Other Forms.		Pneumonia.	Other.													
TOTAL DEATHS.				(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)					
				(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)				
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																						
Dublin City Districts.	North City, No. 1, E.	32,200	16.2	1.6	10	2	1	2	1	1	4	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1					
	" " 1 W.	44,100	18.9	1.2	16	2	1	1	1	1	4	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	7	4	4					
	" " 2	29,500	33.6	.	19	3	1	1	3	3	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
	" " 3	36,600	15.7	.	11	2	1	1	1	1	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
	O'Connell and Howth, No. 1, part of	5,900	17.9	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,600	17.5	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,900	24.9	2.7	22	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
	SOUTH CITY, No. 1	46,100	19.5	2.2	17	4	1	1	1	2	1	2	4	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
	" " 2	19,500	16.3	1.5	11	3	.	.	.	1	1	4	2	2			
	" " 3	46,400	19.1	2.2	17	4	1	1	1	2	1	2	4	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
" " 4	35,100	16.3	1.5	11	3	.	.	.	1	1	4	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
NEW KILMAINHAM	11,100	4.7	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts.	RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	42,300	17.3	1.2	14	2	1	.	1	1	5	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	PEMBROKE	31,700	23.0	.	14	2	2	.	2	1	7	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	BLACKROCK	10,100	5.2	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,900	11.7	.	4	1	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total City of Dublin		333,000	19.4	1.1	124	19	6	2	3	8	16	28	42	1	.	4	.	.	.	7	11	3	8	10	19	2	.	2	57	4	39	15	2					
Total Urban Districts		102,000	16.9	0.5	33	5	3	.	.	1	4	8	12	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	2	2	1	1	1	.	.	1	22	.	6	3	1	
Total Dublin Registration Area		435,000	18.8	1.0	157	24	9	2	3	9	20	36	54	1	.	4	.	1	.	9	13	5	9	11	20	2	.	3	79	4	45	18	3					
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the Registration Area (not included in above)																																						
CORK CITY					19	2	.	.	.	2	1	8	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	2	.	1	10	.	15	4	.	
Cork City Districts	CORK URBAN, No. 1	13,455	23.3	5.0	6	1	.	.	1	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	" " 2	10,399	30.1	5.3	6	1	.	.	.	1	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	" " 3	9,793	26.6	5.3	5	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	" " 4	9,139	62.8	.	11	.	.	.	.	.	1	6	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	" " 5	6,250	8.3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	" " 6	11,581	27.0	.	6	1	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	" " 7	16,056	29.2	.	9	1	1	.	1	.	3	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total City of Cork		76,673	29.9	1.4	44	4	3	.	2	10	11	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	2	6	5	.	.	1	20	1	17	5	.	

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended Saturday, 8th March, 1924, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total
City of Dublin	Feb. 16	2	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	5	16
	Feb. 23	1	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	15	31
	Mar. 1	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	18	26
	Mar. 8	1	.	.	.	.	—	14	—	9	1	.	—	.	.	.	18	.	.	.	13	56
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Feb. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	—	3
	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	6
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
Pembroke Urban District	Feb. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	3
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Feb. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Feb. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Feb. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	3
	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	—	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
City of Limerick	Feb. 16	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Feb. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 8th March, 1924, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 8th March			
	Feb. 16	Feb. 23	March 1	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	10	9	11	1	4	1	7
Typhus,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	32	37	36	15	9	3	39
Scarlet Fever,	20	35	41	20	12	.	49*
Diphtheria,	27	27	35	11	3	1	42
Pneumonia,	31	25	23	8	6	3	22

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The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.1 per 1,000. Seven of the 61 deaths from all causes for Cork, and one of the 4 deaths for Tralee were from whooping-cough. Deaths from influenza numbered 2 in Cork, 3 in Limerick, 5 in Waterford, and one in Galway.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 222—106 boys and 116 girls—and the deaths to 180—71 males and 109 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 25) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 18.6 per 1,000 of the population. During the eleven weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 23.2, and was 0.1 above the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the eleven weeks was 25.2, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 24.8.

Included in the 155 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from measles, 2 from diphtheria, 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 5 from influenza. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from measles were 0, 3, and 4; deaths from diphtheria, 0, 0, and one; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 3, 3, and 2; and deaths from influenza were 14, 10, and 9.

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (of which 10 were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 24, 9, and 18 in the three weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, and 17 by diseases of the heart.

There were 22 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 16 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia and 3 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 16 deaths.

No violent deaths were recorded.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to measles, one to meningitis, 4 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 7 were due to broncho-pneumonia, one to enteritis, 11 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Forty of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 30 being infants under one year, of whom 14 were under one month old, and 48 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 35 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 155 deaths recorded, 50 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

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The mortality among civilians for the week ended 15th March in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 18.3) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 19.7 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

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TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 15th March, 1924, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts); the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

URBAN AREAS	POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS		DEATHS.												Caused by										METEOROLOGY *																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																						
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TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 15th March, 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Feb. 23	1	.	.	.	—	—	3	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	15	31
	Mar. 1	1	.	.	.	—	—	2	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	18	26
	Mar. 8	1	.	.	.	—	—	14	—	9	1	.	—	.	.	.	18	.	.	.	13	56
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	—	—	8	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	16	33
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	—	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	—	—	3	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	6
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	3
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10	
	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	7	
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	—	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	7	
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	—	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	
City of Limerick	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Waterford	Feb. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 15th March, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 15th March			
	Feb. 23	March 1	March 8	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	9	11	7	.	1	.	6
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	37	36	39	22	14	.	47
Scarlet Fever,	35	41	40	13	6	.	56*
Diphtheria,	27	35	42	12	10	1	43
Pneumonia,	25	23	22	7	5	1	23

* Exclusive of 16 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 20·5 and 20·8; Dublin Registration Area, 18·3 and 18·4; Dublin City, 18·3 and 18·8; Cork, 44·2 and 32·8; Limerick, 12·2 and 17·3; and Waterford, 9·5 and 27·1.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·9 per 1,000. Eleven of the 65 deaths from all causes for Cork, and 2 of the 4 deaths for Galway were from whooping-cough. Deaths from influenza numbered 2 in Cork, and one in each of Limerick, Galway, Drogheda, and Kilkenny.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 233—115 boys and 118 girls—and the deaths to 162—75 males and 87 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 9) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 18·3 per 1,000 of the population. During the twelve weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 22·8, and was 0·5 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the twelve weeks was 24·6, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 25·0.

Included in the 153 deaths appertaining to the Area are 3 from measles, one from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 4 from diarrhoeal diseases, and 3 from influenza. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from measles were 3, 4, and 1; deaths from diarrhoeal diseases were 3, 2, and 2; and deaths from influenza were 10, 9, and 5. There were no deaths from scarlet fever or whooping-cough in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 17 deaths (of which 14 were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 3 from tuberculous meningitis), as against 9, 18, and 16 in the three weeks preceding.

Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, and 15 by diseases of the heart.

There were 12 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia and 4 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 21 deaths

One accidental death was registered, due to a motor vehicle, and there were 2 cases of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to measles, one to scarlet fever, one to whooping-cough, 2 to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation and 5 to congenital debility.

Thirty-four of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 21 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 53 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 48 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 153 deaths recorded, 52 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 22nd March in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 18·1) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 18·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 23·7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 27·0 and for Edinburgh, 18·1.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 22nd March, 1924, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

URBAN AREAS	POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS.		BIRTHS		DEATHS.													METEOROLOGY *														
	Total (a)	Per-sons to an Acre.	DEATHS.		From principal Epidemic Diseases. (b)		TOTAL NUMBER	TOTAL NUMBER.	Caused by													Air Temperature.														
			From all Causes.	From principal Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.			Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of the Respira- tory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.		
																		Other Forms.	Pulmonary.		Pneumonia.	Other.														
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)	
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS	670,256	19.2	23.4	20.5	1.9	301	264	40	87	.	.	3	1	15	.	.	.	9	18	7	14	26	41	5	1	3	5	82	7	0	0	0	0	.	(35)	
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	435,000	31.1	24.7	18.3	1.2	206	153	21	53	.	.	3	1	2	.	.	.	3	14	3	11	12	23	3	1	3	5	52	4	(c) 56.8	20.4	627.9	38.3	0.18		
DUBLIN CITY	333,000	40.8	25.4	18.3	1.6	162	117	20	34	.	.	3	1	2	.	.	.	3	12	3	6	10	18	3	1	3	5	42	4	{(d) 56.2	29.4	134.7	41.4	0.07		
RATHMINES & RATHGAR URBAN DISTRICT	42,300	24.7	25.9	17.3	.	21	14	.	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	4	1	1	1	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
PEMBROKE	31,700	20.2	28.0	19.7	.	17	12	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKROCK	10,100	9.3	15.5	15.5	.	3	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE "	17,900	12.2	17.5	20.4	.	6	7	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CORK CITY	76,673	28.6	25.2	44.2	7.5	37	65	10	21	.	.	.	.	11	.	.	.	2	3	2	1	9	9	.	.	.	.	15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK "	38,518	16.1	10.8	12.2	.	8	9	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD CITY	27,464	19.1	20.9	9.5	1.9	11	5	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	13,255	2.5	2.5	2.5	.	6	4	3	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUNDALK "	13,128	9.5	8.4	8.4	.	7	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA "	12,601	8.4	22.8	22.8	.	11	6	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD "	11,531	22.8	22.8	22.8	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO "	11,163	2.8	11.4	11.4	.	4	4	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
KILKENNY "	10,514	11.4	11.4	11.4	.	2	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TRALEE "	10,300	17.4	17.4	17.4	.	2	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CLONMEL "	10,209	4.8	4.8	4.8	.	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY "	434,000	29.1	24.0	17.4	1.0	200	145	22	34	.	.	4	.	1	2	.	.	7	19	4	11	14	25	1	.	4	3	37	4	51.0	28.0	49.1	133.1	41.1	0.36	
LONDONDERRY CITY	47,000	18.2	21.1	25.5	2.2	19	23	1	6	.	.	2	1	.	.	1	5	2	1
LONDON	4,564,109	—	19.3	18.1	—	1,677	1,574	139	609	.	.	121	2	14	15	—	—	83	115	22	131	191	218	6	3	38	121	760	.	58	26	51.1	132.3	41.7	0.01	
EDINBURGH	427,500	—	—	18.1	0.5	173	148	27	60	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	—	8	—	—	—	42	—	1	—	4	—	—	—	46.0	24.0	43.1	129.4	36.3	0.24	
GLASGOW	1,051,000	—	—	27.0	3.4	473	542g	80	156	.	.	23	3	38	.	.	52	—	—	—	—	160	—	2	13	—	—	—	45.8	28.4	43.5	137.8	0.34	.	.	

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1923. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin (f) Markree. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis. * Hours of bright sunshine during the week:—29.7 at Phoenix Park; 26.4 at Trinity College; 29 (approximately) at Botanic Gardens, and 31.6 at Dún Laoghaire.

TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended, Saturday, 22nd March, 1924, the number of DEATHS of Residents in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.	FROM PRIN- CIPAL CAUSES		TOTAL DEATHS.	CAUSED BY												In Insti- tutions.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.															
			FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES†		Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.		Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Res- piratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.
																								Pulmonary.	Other Forms.		Pneumonia.	Other.							

| DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Dublin City Districts. | NORTH CITY, No. 1, E. | 32,200 | 21.1 | 3.2 | 13 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Mar. 1	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	18	26
	Mar. 8	1	.	.	.	.	—	14	—	9	1	.	—	.	.	.	18	.	.	.	13	56
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	16	33
	Mar. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	20	37
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	6
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Mar. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
Pembroke Urban District	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	3
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	1	5	.	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	11
	Mar. 22	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
Blackrock Urban District	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	7
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	—	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	7
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	—	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	Mar. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	8
City of Limerick	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
City of Waterford	Mar. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 22nd March, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 22nd March			
	March 1	March 8	March 15	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	11	7	6	.	5	.	1
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	36	39	47	15	10	1	51
Scarlet Fever,	41	49	56	7	5	1	57*
Diphtheria,	35	42	43	12	13	.	42
Pneumonia,	23	22	23	4	5	1	21

* Exclusive of 16 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 20·5 and 21·0; Dublin Registration Area, 17·4 and 18·3; Dublin City, 16·8 and 18·3; Cork, 37·4 and 38·3; Limerick, 24·4 and 19·0; and Waterford, 32·3 and 24·7.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 2·1 per 1,000. Among the 55 deaths from all causes for Cork were 11 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria and 5 from influenza, and among the 17 deaths for Waterford were one from whooping-cough and one from influenza.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 227—120 boys and 107 girls—and the deaths to 155—74 males and 81 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 10) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 17·4 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 22·4, and was 0·9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirteen weeks was 24·1, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 25·0.

Included in the 145 deaths appertaining to the Area are 7 from measles, one from diphtheria, 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 5 from influenza. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from measles were 4, 1, and 3; deaths from diphtheria were 1, 2, and 0; deaths from diarrhoeal diseases were 2, 2, and 4; and deaths from influenza were 9, 5, and 3. One death from cerebro-spinal meningitis was recorded.

Tuberculous disease caused 22 deaths (of which 14 were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis, and 5 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 18, 16, and 17 in the three weeks preceding.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, and 21 by diseases of the heart.

There were 7 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, and one from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 15 deaths.

One death by suicide was registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to measles, one to diphtheria, one to meningitis, one to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, 4 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 9 to premature birth, 3 to congenital malformations, and one to congenital debility.

Thirty-six of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 24 being infants under one year, of whom 14 were under one month old, and 40 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 30 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 145 deaths recorded, 54 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 29th March in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 16·0) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 17·5 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 21·7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 22·7 and for Edinburgh, 18·8.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases;

TABLE II.—Showing for the week end—d, Saturday, 29th March, 1924, the number of DEATHS of Residents in the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelæ.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Mar. 8	1	.	.	.	.	—	14	—	9	1	.	—	.	.	.	18	.	.	.	13	56
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	16	33
	Mar. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	20	37
	Mar. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	4	1	1	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	15	27
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Mar. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	Mar. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
Pembroke Urban District	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	1	5	.	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	11
	Mar. 22	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Mar. 29	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
Blackrock Urban District	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Mar. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	4
City of Cork	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	2	4	—	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	7
	Mar. 15	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	—	7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	Mar. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	8
	Mar. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	15
City of Limerick	Mar. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 15	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 22	1	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	—	—	.	2
	Mar. 29	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
City of Waterford	Mar. 8	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	3
	Mar. 15	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	1	2
	Mar. 22	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Mar. 29	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1

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DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 29th March			
	March 8	March 15	March 22	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	7	6	1	1	.	.	2
Typhus,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	39	47	51	22	20	.	53
Scarlet Fever,..	49	56	57	19	8	.	68*
Diphtheria,	42	43	42	11	6	1	46
Pneumonia,	22	23	21	10	9	2	20

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Twelve Town Districts (a) 17·3 and 20·6; Dublin Registration Area, 15·8 and 17·5; Dublin City, 16·8 and 17·6; Cork, 29·2 and 38·1; Limerick, 9·5 and 18·3; and Waterford, 20·9 and 25·7.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·3 per 1,000. Among the 43 deaths from all causes for Cork were 3 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria and 3 from influenza, and one of the 2 deaths for Tralee was from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 238—124 boys and 114 girls—and the deaths to 143—73 males and 70 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 11) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 15·8 per 1,000 of the population. During the fourteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 21·9, and was 1·5 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the fourteen weeks was 23·6, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 25·1.

Included in the 132 deaths appertaining to the Area are 8 from measles, 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 3 from influenza. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from measles were 1, 3, and 7; deaths from diarrhoeal diseases were 2, 4, and 4; and deaths from influenza were 5, 3, and 5.

Tuberculous disease caused 19 deaths (of which 12 were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 16, 17, and 22 in the three weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, and 15 by diseases of the heart.

There were 18 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 11 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar-pneumonia, and 6 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 18 deaths.

One accidental death (that of a child aged one year) due to burns, was registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to measles, one to convulsions, one to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Thirty-four of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 17 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 40 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 31 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 132 deaths recorded, 50 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 5th April, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 13·1) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 15·4 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 20·8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 21·9 and for Edinburgh, 17·9.

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(a) See note (h) at foot of Table I.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 5th April, 1924, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES or URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

URBAN AREAS	POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS		DEATHS.															METEOROLOGY.														
	Total (a)	Per-sons to an Acre.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		TOTAL NUMBER.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Caused by															Air Temperature.											
			From all Causes.	From principal Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Typhus.	Small-pox.				Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Pulmonary.		Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.				
																Tuberculo- sis.	Other.		Pneumonia.	Other.																
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)	
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS	670,256	19.2	24.3	17.3	1.3	312	222	33	67	.	.	.	8	.	4	1	.	7	21	12	9	31	28	4	.	4	3	87	7	0	0	0	0	.	.	
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	435,000	31.1	26.0	15.8	1.4	217	182	17	40	.	.	.	8	.	.	.	.	8	12	7	7	18	20	4	.	1	.	50	1	(c) 50.8	24.2	45.4	26.5	36.0	0.03
DUBLIN CITY	333,000	40.8	27.1	16.8	1.6	173	107	15	27	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	2	10	7	6	14	17	3	.	1	.	41	1	{(d) 50.1	31.0	46.3	34.0	40.2	0.01
RATHMINES & RATHGAR URBAN DISTRICT	42,300	24.7	34.5	16.0	2.5	28	13	2	5	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	3	1	1	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
PENBROOK	31,700	20.2	19.7	13.2	.	12	8	.	6	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKROCK	10,100	9.3	5.2	15.5	.	3	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,900	12.2	8.7	2.9	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CORK CITY	76,673	28.6	38.8	29.2	2.7	57	43	9	10	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	3	5	.	1	11	5	.	.	1	1	19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK	38,518	16.1	10.8	9.5	.	8	7	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD CITY	27,464	19.1	14	20.9	.	14	11	7	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	13,255	2.5	26.6	20.9	.	4	8	.	1	1	5	1
DUNDALK (b)	13,128	9.5	13.28	9.5	.	2	2	1	1	1
DROGHEDA	12,501	8.4	12.501	8.4	.	2	3	1	2	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1
WEXFORD	11,531	22.8	11.531	22.8	.	1	3	2	2	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
SLIGO	11,163	2.8	11.163	2.8	.	1	2	2	2	1	2
TRALEE	10,514	11.4	17.4	11.4	.	3	2	1	1
KILKENNY	10,300	17.4	17.4	17.4	.	2	4	1	3	1
CLONMEL	10,209	4.8	2	4.8	.	2	4	1	3
BELFAST CITY	434,000	29.1	23.8	16.7	0.7	198	139	21	35	.	.	.	4	1	1	.	.	4	17	2	7	11	22	.	.	2	38	.	50.0	27.5	48.4	84.0	41.2	0.00		
LONDONDERRY CITY	47,000	18.2	15.5	34.4	11.1	14	31	5	3	.	.	.	7	1	1	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	4	1	.	.	2	2
LONDON	4,564,109	—	19.4	13.1	—	1,698	1,145	111	444	.	.	.	62	1	14	11	—	45	73	27	110	125	120	12	1	22	60	540	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
EDINBURGH	427,500	—	—	17.9	0.7	168	146	21	72	.	.	.	1	.	14	1	—	8	—	—	—	48	4	4	—	5	—	—	—	54.0	31.0	45.8	34.1	139.7	0.02	
GLASGOW	1,051,000	—	—	21.9	2.3	478	441	59	112	.	.	.	22	2	14	6	—	24	—	—	—	118	2	2	—	19	—	—	—	54.0	29.0	48.8	33.8	84.1	10.00	

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1923. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree. (g) Including 3 deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis. (h) The return for Dundalk has not been read.

*** Hours of bright sunshine during the week :—**46·5 at Phoenix Park ; 33·8 at Trinity College ; 32 (approximately) at Botanic Gardens, and 45·8 at Dún Laoghaire.

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		FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC DISEASES†	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.		Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Res- piratory System.		Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	Institu- tions.										
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City of Dublin	Mar. 15	—	—	8	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	16	33
	Mar. 22	—	—	7	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	20	37
	Mar. 29	—	—	3	—	4	1	1	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	15	27
	April 5	—	—	15	—	4	.	2	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	23	51
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Mar. 15	—	—	1	—	1	1	.	—	—	—	3
	Mar. 22	—	—	—	—	4	1	.	—	—	—	5
	Mar. 29	—	—	3	—	.	1	.	—	—	—	4
	April 5	—	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
Pembroke Urban District	Mar. 15	1	5	.	5	.	.	—	—	.	11
	Mar. 22	1	1	.	1	.	.	—	—	.	3
	Mar. 29	2	1	—	—	.	3
	April 5	1	—	—	.	1
Blackrock Urban District	Mar. 15	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 22	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 29	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
	April 5	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Mar. 15	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	1
	Mar. 22	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 29	—	4	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	4
	April 5	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	Mar. 15	2	.	—	.	1	—	.	—	.	3
	Mar. 22	—	7	1	—	.	—	.	8
	Mar. 29	2	—	13	—	.	—	.	15
	April 5	1	—	4	—	.	—	.	5
City of Limerick	Mar. 15	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 22	1	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	—	—	.	2
	Mar. 29	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	April 5	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
City of Waterford	Mar. 15	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	1	2
	Mar. 22	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Mar. 29	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	April 5	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	2

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 5th April, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 5th April			
	March 15	March 22	March 29	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	6	1	2	1	1	.	2
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	47	51	53	32	20	.	65
Scarlet Fever,	56	57	68	25	8	1	84*
Diphtheria,	43	42	46	7	9	.	44
Pneumonia,	23	21	20	8	2	.	26

* Exclusive of 23 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts (a) 17·1 and 18·9; Dublin Registration Area, 14·5 and 16·5; Dublin City, 15·3 and 16·8; Cork, 34·7 and 36·4; Limerick, 9·5 and 13·9; and Waterford, 20·9 and 20·9.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·9 per 1,000. Among the 51 deaths from all causes for Cork were 6 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, and one from influenza, and among the 11 deaths for Waterford were one from enteric fever and one from influenza.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 211—122 boys and 89 girls—and the deaths to 142—76 males and 66 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 21) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 14·5 per 1,000 of the population. During the fifteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 21·4, and was 2·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the fifteen weeks was 23·2, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 25·1.

Included in the 121 deaths appertaining to the Area are 13 from measles, one from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from measles were 3, 7, and 8; deaths from diphtheria were 0, one, and 0; and deaths from diarrhoeal diseases were 4, 4, and 4.

Two deaths from encephalitis lethargica were registered.

Tuberculous disease caused 13 deaths (of which 11 were from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and one from abdominal tuberculosis), as against 17, 22, and 19, in the three weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, and 16 by diseases of the heart.

There were 11 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 7 deaths.

No death by violence was registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 5 were due to measles, 3 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Thirty-two of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 16 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 38 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 26 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 121 deaths recorded, 43 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 12th April, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 13·9) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 15·1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 19·0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 18·7 and for Edinburgh, 17·6.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

(a) See note (h) at foot of Table I.

URBAN AREAS.	POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS		DEATHS.														METEOROLOGY.															
	Total (a)	Per-sons to an Acre.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		TOTAL NUMBER.	Caused by														Air Temperature.														
			From all Causes.	From principal Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Typhus.	Small-pox.		Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber-culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis in children under 15 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.												
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TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS	670 256	19.2	23.0	17.1	1.9	296	220	26	61	1	.	.	13	.	6	3	.	4	23	5	13	19	20	3	.	1	1	84	8	0	0	0	0	.		
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	435,000	31.1	23.7	14.5	1.9	198	121	16	38	.	.	.	13	.	.	1	.	.	11	2	10	11	8	2	.	.	.	43	.	(c) 59.3	26.1	49.9	30.4	40.2	0.43	
DUBLIN CITY	333,000	40.8	25.7	15.3	2.3	164	98	13	25	.	.	.	13	.	.	1	.	.	11	1	6	10	7	1	1	.	.	35	.	{ (d) 59.0	31.8	48.7	35.3	42.0	0.44	
RATHMINES & RATHGAR URBAN DISTRICT	42,300	24.7	18.5	14.8	.	15	12	1	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	1	.	.	1	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.
PEMBROKE	31,700	20.2	16.4	6.6	1.6	10	4	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKROCK	10,100	9.3	25.8	10.3	.	5	2	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUN LAOGHAIRE	17,900	12.2	11.7	14.6	.	4	5	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
CORK CITY	76,673	28.6	21.8	34.7	5.4	32	51	6	12	.	.	.	.	.	6	2	.	1	6	1	2	7	5	.	.	.	.	24	2	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK	38,518	16.1	16.2	9.5	.	12	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD CITY	27,464	19.1	22.8	20.9	1.9	12	11	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	2	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	13,255	2.5	2.5	2.5	1.9	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.
DUNDALK	13,128	9.5	9.5	9.5	.	5	5	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA	12,501	8.4	8.4	8.4	.	11	5	2	1	2	1	1	
WEXFORD	11,531	22.8	22.8	22.8	.	8	5	2	3	1	2	2	
SLIGO	11,163	2.8	2.8	2.8	.	1																														

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City of Dublin	Mar. 22	—	—	7	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	20	37
	Mar. 29	—	—	3	—	4	1	1	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	15	27
	April 5	—	—	15	—	4	.	2	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	23	51
	April 12	2	.	.	.	—	—	10	—	9	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	20	46
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Mar. 22	—	—	.	—	4	1	.	—	—	—	5
	Mar. 29	—	—	3	—	.	1	.	—	—	—	4
	April 5	—	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	April 12	—	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	—	—	2
Pembroke Urban District	Mar. 22	1	1	.	1	.	.	—	—	.	3
	Mar. 29	2	1	—	—	.	3
	April 5	1	—	—	.	1
	April 12	3	—	—	.	3
Blackrock Urban District	Mar. 22	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 29	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
	April 5	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	April 12	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Mar. 22	—	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.
	Mar. 29	—	—	4	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	4
	April 5	—	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	1
	April 12	—	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	3
City of Cork	Mar. 22	—	7	1	—	.	.	—	8
	Mar. 29	2	—	13	—	.	.	—	15
	April 5	1	—	4	—	.	.	—	5
	April 12	—	6	.	1	—	.	.	—	7
City of Limerick	Mar. 22	1	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	—	—	—	2
	Mar. 29	—	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	April 5	—	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	April 12	—	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	1
City of Waterford	Mar. 22	—	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Mar. 29	—	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	April 5	—	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	2
	April 12	—	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	—	—	—	.	1

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 12th April, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 12th April			
	March 22	March 29	April 5	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	1	2	2	.	.	.	2
Typhus,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	51	53	65	24	27	3	59
Scarlet Fever,..	57	68	84	23	8	1	98*
Diphtheria,	42	46	44	8	6	2	44
Pneumonia,	21	20	26	3	9	2	18

* Exclusive of 20 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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Twelve Town Districts (a) 19·3 and 18·6; Dublin Registration Area, 20·4 and 17·0; Dublin City, 21·3 and 17·6; Cork, 23·8 and 31·3; Limerick, 20·3 and 15·9; and Waterford, 1·9 and 19·0.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 2·5 per 1,000. Among the 35 deaths from all causes for Cork were one from enteric fever, 10 from whooping-cough, and one from influenza, and among the 3 deaths for Galway were one from enteric fever and one from influenza, and one of the 5 deaths for Clonmel was from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 219—106 boys and 113 girls—and the deaths to 185—98 males and 87 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 15) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 20·4 per 1,000 of the population. During the sixteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 21·4, and was 2·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the sixteen weeks was 23·1, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 25·1.

Included in the 170 deaths appertaining to the Area are 10 from measles, one from scarlet fever, 2 from diphtheria, 6 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 4 from influenza. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from measles were 7, 8, and 13; deaths from diphtheria were one, 0, and one; deaths from diarrhoeal diseases were 4, 4, and 2, and deaths from influenza were 5, 3, and 0. There were no deaths from scarlet fever in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 22 deaths (of which 19 were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and one from general tuberculosis), as against 22, 19, and 13, in the three weeks preceding.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, and 22 by diseases of the heart.

There were 19 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 10 from broncho-pneumonia, 4 from lobar pneumonia, and 5 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 20 deaths.

One death by suicide was registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to measles, one to tuberculous meningitis, 3 to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, 5 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 5 to premature birth, and 5 to congenital debility.

Fifty-one of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 27 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 40 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 34 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 170 deaths recorded, 65 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 19th April, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 12·4) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 14·3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 17·0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 18·3 and for Edinburgh, 15·3.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

(a) See note (g) at foot of Table I.

TABLE II.—Showing for the week ending, Saturday, 19th April, 1924, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' Districts in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the City of Cork, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY														IN INSTITU- TIONS.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.															
			FROM ALL CAUSES		FROM PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES†	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Res- piratory System.		Other.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.								
			Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.											2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.		15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.										45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Pneumonia.	Other.		
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																				
Dublin City Districts.	North City, No. 1, E.	32,200	32.4	6.5	20	6	3	4	2	1	4	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	" " 1 W.	44,100	23.6	2.4	20	5	4	2	2	1	4	4	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	" " 2	29,500	21.2	3.5	12	2	2	2	2	1	3	10	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	" " 3	36,600	25.6	1	18	2	2	2	2	1	3	4	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	GLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,900	8.8	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,600	10.7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,900	17.5	4	4	12	3	2	1	2	1	3	4	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	SOUTH CITY, No. 1	46,100	13.6	4.5	12	3	1	2	1	2	1	5	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	" " 2	19,500	34.8	3.3	13	2	1	1	1	1	1	3	4	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	" " 3	46,400	19.1	2.2	17	2	2	1	1	1	1	5	5	6	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
" " 4	35,100	22.3	3.0	15	3	2	1	1	1	1	2	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
NEW KILMAINHAM	11,100	4.7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Urban Districts.	RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	42,300	13.6	1.2	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	PEMBROKE	31,700	16.4	1	10	3	1	1	1	1	1	2	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	BLACKROCK	10,100	31.0	6	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	DUN LAOGHAIRE	17,900	20.4	2.9	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	Total City of Dublin	333,000	21.3	2.7	136	22	14	7	7	4	20	34	28	1	9	1	2	1	2	1	3	15	3	4	15	22	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total Urban Districts		102,000	17.4	1.0	34	5	3	1	3	1	9	12	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	4	2	4	13	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total Dublin Registration Area		435,000	20.4	2.3	170	27	17	7	8	21	43	40	2	10	1	1	1	1	1	4	19	3	6	19	25	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the Registration Area (not included in above)																																				
CITY OF CORK.																																				
Cork City Districts	CORK URBAN, No. 1	13,455	23.3	3.9	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	" " 2	10,399	20.1	5.0	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 3	9,793	16.0	5.3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 4	9,139	45.6	22.8	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 5	6,250	16.7	16.7	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 6	11,581	18.0	4.5	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 7	16,056	26.0	9.7	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Total City of Cork		76,673	23.8	7.5	35	3	10	1	4	4	4	13	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	5	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

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City of Dublin	Mar. 29	—	3	—	4	1	1	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	15	27
	April 5	—	15	—	4	.	1	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	23	51
	April 12	2	—	10	—	9	1	1	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	20	46
	April 19	—	6	—	12	2	1	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	13	36
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Mar. 29	—	3	—	.	1	.	—	—	—	4
	April 5	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	April 12	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	—	—	2
	April 19	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Mar. 29	2	1	—	—	.	3
	April 5	1	—	—	.	1
	April 12	3	—	—	.	3
	April 19	1	1	.	.	.	—	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Mar. 29	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
	April 5	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	April 12	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	April 19	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Mar. 29	—	4	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	4
	April 5	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	1
	April 12	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	3
	April 19	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	Mar. 29	2	—	13	—	.	—	.	15
	April 5	1	—	4	—	.	—	.	5
	April 12	—	6	.	1	—	.	—	.	7
	April 19	—	1	—	.	—	.	1
City of Limerick	Mar. 29	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	April 5	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	April 12	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
	April 19	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	2
City of Waterford	Mar. 29	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	1
	April 5	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	2
	April 12	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	—	.	—	.	1
	April 19	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	3

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 19th April, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 19th April			
	March 29	April 5	April 12	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	2	2	2	.	.	.	2
Typhus,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	53	65	59	22	18	4	59
Scarlet Fever, ..	68	84	98	18	26	.	90*
Diphtheria, ..	46	44	44	14	19	2	37
Pneumonia, ..	20	26	18	3	3	1	17

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Twelve Town Districts (a) 19·2 and 18·2; Dublin Registration Area, 17·0 and 16·9; Dublin City, 16·1 and 17·4; Cork, 33·3 and 30·3; Limerick, 20·3 and 14·9; and Waterford, 22·8 and 16·6.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·4 per 1,000. Among the 49 deaths from all causes for Cork were 3 from whooping-cough, and 3 from influenza, and one of the 5 deaths for Clonmel was from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 248—129 boys and 119 girls—and the deaths to 159—80 males and 79 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 17) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 17·0 per 1,000 of the population. During the seventeen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 21·1 and was 2·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the seventeen weeks was 22·9, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 24·8.

Included in the 142 deaths appertaining to the Area are 7 from measles, 3 from diphtheria, 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 5 from influenza. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from measles were 8, 13, and 10; deaths from diphtheria were 0, one, and 2; deaths from diarrhoeal diseases were 4, 2, and 6, and deaths from influenza were 3, 0, and 4.

Tuberculous disease caused 15 deaths (all of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis), as against 19, 13, and 22, in the three weeks preceding.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, and 16 by diseases of the heart.

There were 14 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 7 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 11 deaths.

One accidental death (due to burns) was registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 4 were due to measles, one to congenital lues, one to meningitis, 2 to convulsions, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 5 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation and 5 to congenital debility.

Forty-one of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 28 being infants under one year, of whom 9 were under one month old, and 37 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 31 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 142 deaths recorded, 65 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 19th April, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 13·0) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 14·0 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 16·8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 16·2 and for Edinburgh, 19·1.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

(a) See note (g) at foot of Table I.

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URBAN AREAS,	POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS		DEATHS.														CAUSED BY										METEOROLOGY *																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																									
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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1923. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree. (g) The Return for Tralee No. 2 district has not been received. (h) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II.—Showing for the week end d. Saturday, 26th April, 1924, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF DUBLIN, Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

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* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 26th April, 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Varicella	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	April 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	15	—	4	.	2	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	23	51
	April 12	2	.	.	.	.	—	10	—	9	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	20	46
	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	12	2	1	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	13	36
	April 26	1	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	6	2	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	15	38
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	April 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	April 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	April 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	April 12	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	1	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	8	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	9
Blackrock Urban District	April 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	April 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	April 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	April 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
City of Cork	April 5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	5
	April 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	7
	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	1
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.
City of Limerick	April 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	April 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	April 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	2
	April 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	1
	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	3
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	2

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 26th April, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 26th April			
	April 5	April 12	April 19	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	2	2	2	.	2	.	.
Typhus,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	65	59	59	18	27	1	49
Scarlet Fever,	84	98	90	7	12	.	85*
Diphtheria,	44	44	37	9	.	1	45
Pneumonia,	26	18	17	6	6	.	17

* Exclusive of 24 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 16.9 and 18.1; Dublin Registration Area, 15.1 and 16.8; Dublin City, 14.7 and 16.9; Cork, 20.4 and 28.1; Limerick, 24.4 and 18.6; and Waterford, 11.4 and 14.3.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1.7 per 1,000. Among the 30 deaths from all causes for Cork were 7 from whooping-cough, and one from influenza.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 276—146 boys and 130 girls—and the deaths to 147—62 males and 85 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 21) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 15.1 per 1,000 of the population. During the eighteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 20.8 and was 2.2 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the eighteen weeks was 22.6, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 24.7.

Included in the 126 deaths appertaining to the Area are 14 from measles, and 4 from influenza. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from measles were 13, 10, and 7; and deaths from influenza were 0, 4, and 5.

Tuberculous disease caused 19 deaths (16 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 13, 22, and 15, in the three weeks preceding.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, and 13 by diseases of the heart.

There were 13 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 7 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 5 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 9 deaths.

One accidental death was registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to measles, one to meningitis, 5 to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 3 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation and 2 to congenital debility.

Thirty-four of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 19 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 29 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 23 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 126 deaths recorded, 44 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 26th April, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 13.0) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 14.0 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland, for the week ended 3rd May, was 16.1 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 16.6 and for Edinburgh, 15.4.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

DEATHS,

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	April 12	2	.	.	.	.	—	10	—	9	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	20	46
	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	12	2	1	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	13	36
	April 26	1	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	6	2	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	15	38
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	3	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	15	27
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	April 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	4
Pembroke Urban District	April 12	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	8	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	9
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
Blackrock Urban District	April 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	April 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	April 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	7
	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	1
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	4
City of Limerick	April 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	April 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	1
	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	3
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	2
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	2

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 3rd May, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 3rd May			
	April 12	April 19	April 26	No. admitted.	Dis-charged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	2	2	.	.	.	.	.
Typhus,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	59	59	49	28	15	4	58
Scarlet Fever, ..	98	90	85	11	9	.	87*
Diphtheria, ..	44	37	45	6	11	.	40
Pneumonia, ..	18	17	17	5	4	1	17

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Twelve Town Districts, 13·9 and 17·3; Dublin Registration Area, 13·7 and 16·6; Dublin City, 13·9 and 16·5; Cork, 21·8 and 24·8; Limerick, 5·4 and 17·6; and Waterford, 17·1 and 13·3.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·9 per 1,000. Among the 32 deaths from all causes for Cork were 3 from whooping-cough, and one from influenza.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 202—102 boys and 100 girls—and the deaths to 130—64 males and 66 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 16) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 13·7 per 1,000 of the population. During the nineteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 20·4 and was 2·6 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the nineteen weeks was 22·2, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 24·7.

Included in the 114 deaths appertaining to the Area are 4 from measles, one from diphtheria, one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and 2 from influenza. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from measles were 10, 7, and 14; deaths from diphtheria were 2, 3, and 0; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 6, 3, and 0; and deaths from influenza were 4, 5, and 4.

Tuberculous disease caused 13 deaths (12 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and one from tuberculous meningitis), as against 22, 15, and 19, in the three weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, and 24 by diseases of the heart.

There were 10 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 6 deaths.

Seven deaths due to violence were registered, one (that of a child aged 3 years) being due to burns, one to a train, and one to a motor vehicle.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to measles, one to influenza, 3 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to premature birth, 3 to congenital malformation and 5 to congenital debility.

Twenty-nine of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 20 being infants under one year, of whom 11 were under one month old, and 32 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 28 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 114 deaths recorded, 49 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND, AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 10th May, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·7) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 11·2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland, was 14·8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15·9 and for Edinburgh, 15·5.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

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TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 10th May, 1924, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES or URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDON (exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS.		BIRTHS.		From all Causes.		From principal Epidemic Diseases. (b)		TOTAL NUMBER.		Caused by														DEATHS.		METEOROLOGY *										
														DEATHS.																										
														Deaths.																										
URBAN AREAS.	Total (a).	Per-sons to an Acre.	BIRTHS.		From all Causes.		From principal Epidemic Diseases. (b)		TOTAL NUMBER.		Under 1 year of Age.		At 65 years and upwards.		Deaths.														Absolute Highest.		Absolute Lowest.		Mean Maximum (A).		Mean Minimum (B).		Mean of (A) and (B).		Rainfall in Inches.	
			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)			
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS		670,256	.	25.2	13.9	0.9	324	179	27	49	.	.	4	.	3	1	.	.	5	20	1	12	17	17	3	.	10	7	77	5	9	0	0	0	.	.				
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA		435,000	.	22.2	13.7	0.7	185	114	20	32	.	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	2	12	1	9	10	10	1	.	7	5	49	.	(c) 58.3	27.5	53.6	34.9	44.3	1.63				
DUBLIN CITY		333,000	.	24.1	13.9	0.8	154	89	18	18	.	.	4	.	.	1	.	2	10	1	8	6	7	.	.	6	5	41	.	((d) 58.0	35.0	52.9	39.1	46.0	1.14					
RATHMINES & RATHGAR URBAN DISTRICT		42,300	.	11.1	13.6	1.2	9	11	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	1	.	1	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pembroke		31,700	.	23.0	14.8	.	14	9	6	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Blackrock		10,100	.	15.5	10.3	.	3	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Dún Laoghaire		17,900	.	14.6	8.7	.	5	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cork City		76,673	.	30.6	21.8	2.0	45	32	1	10	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	4	.	.	2	6	4	.	.	2	2	16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Limerick		38,518	.	47.4	5.4	.	35	4	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Waterford City		27,464	.	32.3	17.1	1.9	17	9	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Galway Urban Dist.		13,255	.	.	The annual rates represented by the numbers of births and deaths registered for these urban districts will be shown in the Quarterly Return.	11	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Dundalk		13,128	.	2.2	.	.	2	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Drogheda		12,501	.	8	.	.	10	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Wexford		11,531	.	8	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Sligo		11,163	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Kilkenny		10,514	.	5	.	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tralee (g)		10,300	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Clonmel		10,209	.	2	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Belfast City		434,000	.	26.1	12.4	.	217	103	14	32	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	12	7	6	6	11	.	.	.	4	5	29	3	54.8	30.5	52.9	38.4	45.6	1.34
Londonderry City		47,000	.	21.1	21.1	6.7	19	19	3	3	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
London		4,564,109	—	21.2	9.7	—	1,837	850	75	324	.	.	22	3	3	7	.	11	83	13	108	69	62	11	.	.	32	76	432	.	63	36	59.3	40.6	50.0	0.34				
Edinburgh		427,500	—	—	15.5	1.2	193	127	17	43	.	.	1	2	2	2	.	2	—	—	—	—	16	3	—	—	6	—	—	—	54.0	34.0	47.4	36.7	42.1	2.10				
Glasgow		1,051,000	—	—	15.9	1.6	578	319	55	70	.	.	6	3	16	4	.	7	—	—	—	—	55	4	—	—	7	—	—	—	53.6	33.9	49.2	37.8	43.5	1.61				

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1923. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree.

TABLE II—Showing for the week ended Saturday, 10th May, 1924, the number of DEATHS of Residents in the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS, DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY																In Institutions.														
		FROM ALL CAUSES		Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Res- piratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Institutions.			
		FROM ALL CAUSES	PRIN- CIPAL CAUSES																		In Hospitals, Asylums, and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.												
																								Number of Uncertified Deaths.										
TOTAL DEATHS.				(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	
CORKS.				(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City Districts.	NORTH CITY, No. 1, E.	32,200	19.4	1.6	12	1	2	1	1	4	1	5	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 1 W.	44,100	18.9	1.2	16	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 2	29,500	15.9		9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 3	36,600	12.8		9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	OLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,900	8.8		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	COOLLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,600	14.3		4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,900	10.2	1.1	9	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	SOUTH CITY, No. 1	46,100	16.0	2.7	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 2	19,500	13.5	1.1	12	2	1	1	2	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 3	46,400	14.9		10	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 4	35,100	14.9		10	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
NEW KILMAINHAM	11,100	4.7		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Urban Districts.	RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	42,300	13.6	1.2	11	1	1	1	1	3	2	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	PEMBROKE	31,700	14.8		9	1	1	1	1	1	2	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	BLACKBROCK	10,100	10.3		2	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	DŪN LAOGHAIRE	17,900	8.7		3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Total City of Dublin		333,000	13.9	0.8	89	6	2	2	7	12	24	18	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	10	1	8	6	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Total Urban Districts		102,000	12.8	0.5	25	2	1	1	1	3	4	14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	4	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Total Dublin Registration Area		435,000	13.7	0.7	114	20	7	2	8	15	28	32	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	12	1	9	10	10	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the Registration Area (not included in above)				16	3	1	1	2	2	3	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts	CORK URBAN, No. 1	13,455	42.6		11	1	1	1	2	3	2	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 2	10,399	15.0	10.0	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 3	9,793	10.6		2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 4	9,139	22.8		4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 5	6,250	16.7		2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 6	11,581	13.5	4.5	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 7	16,056	22.7		7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Total City of Cork		76,673	21.8	2.0	32	1	3	4	4	4	10	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	6	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 10th May, 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	12	2	1	—	—	.	.	2	.	.	.	13	36
	April 26	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	6	2	.	—	—	.	.	3	.	.	.	15	38
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2	3	.	—	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	15	27
	May 10	2	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	4	.	.	—	—	.	.	5	.	.	.	28	44
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	3	1	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	4
	May 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	8	.	.	.	1	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	9
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	May 10	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	6
Blackrock Urban District	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	May 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	1
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	4
	May 10	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	6
City of Limerick	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	May 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
City of Waterford	April 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	3
	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	2
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	2
	May 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 10th May, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 10th May			
	April 19	April 26	May 3	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	2	.	.	3	.	.	3
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	59	49	58	20	16	2	60
Scarlet Fever,	90	85	87	12	16	.	83*
Diphtheria,	37	45	40	8	7	.	41
Pneumonia,	17	17	17	7	10	.	14

* Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 12·8 and 15·7; Dublin Registration Area, 12·5 and 14·6; Dublin City, 12·8 and 14·4; Cork, 15·0 and 22·6; Limerick, 12·2 and 15·6; and Waterford, 17·1 and 17·1.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·6 per 1,000. Among the 22 deaths from all causes for Cork were one from enteric fever, and one from whooping-cough. Three of the 9 deaths from all causes for Waterford were caused by influenza.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 271—133 boys and 138 girls—and the deaths to 109—55 males and 54 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 5) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·5 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 20·0 and was 2·8 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty weeks was 21·7, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 24·5.

Included in the 104 deaths appertaining to the Area are 2 from measles, one from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and 3 from influenza. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from measles were 7, 14, and 4; deaths from diphtheria were 3, 0, and one; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 3, 0, and one; and deaths from influenza were 5, 4, and 2. There were no deaths from scarlet fever or whooping-cough in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 11 deaths (10 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and one from general tuberculosis), as against 15, 19, and 13, in the three weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, and 10 by diseases of the heart.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 12 deaths.

One death due to drowning was registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to influenza, one to convulsions, one to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to laryngitis, one to gastro-enteritis, 2 to premature birth, 3 to congenital malformation and one to congenital debility.

Twenty-one of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 15 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 36 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 27 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 104 deaths recorded, 43 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 17th May, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 10·7) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 11·2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland, was 15·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15·7 and for Edinburgh, 15·9.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 17th May, 1924, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BRISTOL and LONDON; and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to persons admitted from other Districts) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1923. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree. (g) Including 3 deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis in Edinburgh, and 3 in Glasgow. The estimate

* **Hours of bright sunshine during the week** :—65·4 at Phoenix Park ; 53·2 at Trinity College ; 39 (approximately) at Botanic Gardens ; and 54·4 at Dún Laoghaire.

DEATHS,

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.	FROM		TOTAL DEATHS.	CAUSED BY															IN INSTITUTIONS.				Deaths.									
				FROM ALL CAUSES	PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC DISEASES†		Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Pneumonia.	Diseases of Res- piratory System.	Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.		In Workhouse.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.							
															Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.													2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																			
Dublin City Districts.	North City, No. 1, E.	32,200	11.3	1.6	7	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
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Total Urban Districts		102,000	11.2		22	4		1		1	1	5	10																						
Total Dublin Registration Area		435,000	12.5	0.7	104	15	3	3	2	1	14	30	36																						
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the Registration Area (not included in above)																																			
CITY OF CORK.																																			
Cork City Districts	CORK URBAN, No. 1	13,455	15.5		4	1					2	1	2																						
	" " 2	10,399	15.0		3						1	1																							
	" " 3	9,793	10.6	5.3	2						1	1																							
	" " 4	9,139	11.4		2						1	1																							
	" " 5	6,250	8.3		1						1	1																							
	" " 6	11,581	9.0		2						1	1																							
	" " 7	16,056	26.0	3.2	8	1						1	2	3																					
Total City of Cork		76,673	15.0	1.4	22	3	2		4		4	4	5																						

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† See note (†) at foot of first page.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	April 26	1	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	6	2	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	15	38
	May 3	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	3	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	15	27
	May 10	2	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	28	44
	May 17	2	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	7	1	2	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	30	57
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	4
	May 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	May 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
Pembroke Urban District	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	8	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	9
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	May 10	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	6
	May 17	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	5
Blackrock Urban District	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	3
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	May 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	May 17	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	4
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6
	May 10	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	2a
	May 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.
City of Limerick	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	May 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	May 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	April 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	2
	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	2
	May 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(a) Not including one case of encephalitis lethargica.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 17th May, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 17th May			
	April 26	May 3	May 10	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ...	.	.	3	2	.	.	5
Typhus, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ..	49	58	60	13	23	1	49
Scarlet Fever,...	85	87	83	21	28	1	75*
Diphtheria, ..	45	40	41	8	14	1	34
Pneumonia, ..	17	17	14	5	6	.	13

* Exclusive of 19 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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Twelve Town Districts, 15·6 and 14·8; Dublin Registration Area, 16·1 and 14·4; Dublin City, 16·0 and 14·4; Cork, 18·4 and 18·9; Limerick, 19·0 and 15·3; and Waterford, 11·4 and 14·3.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·0 per 1,000. Among the 27 deaths from all causes for Cork were two from whooping-cough, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under two years.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 215—100 boys and 115 girls—and the deaths to 153—81 males and 72 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 19) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 16·1 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-one weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 19·8 and was 2·7 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-one weeks was 21·5, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 24·2.

Included in the 134 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever, 2 from measles, 7 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 2 from influenza and one from encephalitis lethargica. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from enteric were nil; deaths from measles were 14, 4, and 2; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 0, one, and one; and deaths from influenza were 4, 2, and 3.

Tuberculous disease caused 14 deaths (12 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculosis of the meninges, and one from abdominal tuberculosis), as against 19, 13, and 11, in the three weeks preceding.

Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, and 11 by diseases of the heart.

There were 5 deaths from broncho-pneumonia. Bronchitis caused 16 deaths.

There were three deaths from violence, including one infanticide, and one by accidental drowning.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to measles, one to meningitis, 4 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to pleurisy, 7 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation and 6 to congenital debility.

Thirty-six of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 30 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 35 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 27 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 134 deaths recorded, 47 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 24th May, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·5) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 10·7 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland, was 12·8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·8 and for Edinburgh, 11·9.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases;

TABLE I.--BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 24th May, 1924, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES OR URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1923. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree. (g) Including 1 death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

* Hours of bright sunshine during the week :—24.0 at Phoenix Park ; 25.4 at Trinity College ; 30 (approximately) at Botanic Gardens ; and 28.7 at Dún Laoghaire.

DEATHS,

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery	Malaria	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	May 3	3	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	3	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	.	15	27
	May 10	10	2	.	.	—	5	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	.	28	44
	May 17	2	.	.	.	—	12	—	7	1	2	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	.	30	57
	May 24	4	.	.	.	—	16	—	3	2	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	13	.	.	21	60
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	May 3	3	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	—	4
	May 10	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	May 17	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	May 24	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	3
	May 10	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	6
	May 17	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	5
	May 24	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	3
Blackrock Urban District	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	May 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	May 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	May 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	May 3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	.
	May 10	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	1
	May 17	1	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	.
	May 24	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	.
City of Cork	May 3	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	—	4
	May 10	1	.	.	.	1	.	—	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	—	6
	May 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	—	2 ^a
	May 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	—	3
City of Limerick	May 3	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	May 10	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	1
	May 17	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	1
	May 24	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford	May 3	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	.	2
	May 10	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	.	.
	May 17	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	.	.
	May 24	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	.	.

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TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 24th May, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 24th May			
	May 3	May 10	May 17	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	.	3	5	4	.	1	8
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	58	60	49	15	22	1	41
Scarlet Fever,	87	83	75	21	24	.	72*
Diphtheria,	40	41	34	3	11	.	26
Pneumonia,	17	14	13	3	4	.	12

* Exclusive of 20 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·8 per 1,000. Among the 26 deaths from all causes for Cork was one from each of whooping-cough and diphtheria.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 226—101 boys and 125 girls—and the deaths to 118—57 males and 61 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 20) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 11·7 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-two weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 19·5 and was 2·8 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-two weeks was 21·2, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 24·0.

Included in the 98 deaths appertaining to the Area are 2 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, one from diphtheria, 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, one from influenza, and one from encephalitis lethargica. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from measles were 4, 2, and 2; deaths from scarlet fever were 0, one, and 0; deaths from diphtheria were one, one, and 0; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were one, one, and 7; deaths from influenza were 2, 3, and 2; and deaths from encephalitis lethargica, 0, 0, and one.

Tuberculous disease caused 8 deaths (all of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis), as against 13, 11, and 14, from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, and 14 by diseases of the heart.

There were 7 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar-pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 6 deaths.

There were 5 deaths from violence, 2 of which were caused by motor accidents.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to measles, one to diphtheria, one to meningitis, 2 to convulsions, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation and one to congenital debility.

Twenty-five of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 17 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 27 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 20 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 98 deaths recorded, 48 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 31st May, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 8·9) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 10·2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland, was 13·0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 13·7 and for Edinburgh, 11·6.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

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REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		TOTAL DEATHS.	CAUSED BY																		In INSTITU- TIONS.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.											
			FROM PRIN- CIPAL ALL CAUSES	FROM EPI- DEMIC DISEASES†		DISEASES OF RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.																In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.														
						Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.			Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.												
															Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.											2 and under 5.	5 and under 16.	16 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.					
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)		
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.		Cols.																																			
Urban Districts.	North City, No. 1, E.	32,200	24.3	1.6	15	2	1	1	1	1	1	5	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	4	2	2	.
	" " " 1 W.	44,100	8.3	1.2	7	4	1	1	2	1	1	3	3	1	.
	" " " 2	29,500	8.8	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	" " " 3	36,600	7.1	.	5	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,900	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,600	10.7	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,900	8.8	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	SOUTH CITY, No. 1	46,100	7.9	1.1	7	1	.	.	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	" " " 2	19,500	.	.	.	5	1	.	1	.	2	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	" " " 3	46,400	19.1	2.2	17	5	1	.	1	.	2	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" " " 4	35,100	11.9	3.0	8	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
NEW KILMAINHAM	11,100	9.4	4.7	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts.	RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	42,300	18.5	.	15	.	.	2	1	2	.	6	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	2	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	PEMBROKE	31,700	13.2	.	8	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	BLACKROCK	10,100	5.2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	DUN LAOGHAIRE	17,900	8.7	.	3	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total City of Dublin		333,000	11.1	1.3	71	17	3	3	2	4	6	18	18	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	2	.	6	5	5	3	5	29	8	1	
Total Urban Districts		102,000	13.8	.	27	.	.	2	1	5	1	9	9	6	.	4	2	3	9	2	1	.	
Total Dublin Registration Area		435,000	11.7	1.0	98	17	3	5	3	9	7	27	27	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	8	.	10	7	8	.	.	.	.	.	5	38	10	2
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the Registration Area (not included in above)					20	1	1	1	1	1	5	8	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	19	1	.
CITY OF CORK.																																					
Cork City Districts	CORK URBAN, No. 1	13,455	31.0	.	8	1	.	.	2	.	3	.	3	
	" " " 2	10,399	10.0	.	2	1	1	
	" " " 3	9,793	5.3	.	1	1	
	" " " 4	9,139	11.4	5.7	2	2	
	" " " 5	6,250	8.3	.	1	1	
	" " " 6	11,581	18.0	.	4	1	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	
	" " " 7	16,056	26.0	3.2	8	1	.	.	1	.	3	1	1	
Total City of Cork		76,673	17.7	1.4	26	5	3	3	5	4	6	6	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	18	.	.

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 31st May, 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Dysentery	Malaria	Trench Fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	May 10	2	.	.	.	—	5	—	4	1	2	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	.	28	44
	May 17	2	.	.	.	—	12	—	7	1	1	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	.	30	57
	May 24	4	.	.	.	—	16	—	3	2	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	13	.	21	60	
	May 31	5	.	.	.	—	11	—	4	1	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	31	60	
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	May 10	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	May 17	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	May 24	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	—	1
	May 31	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	May 10	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	6
	May 17	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	May 24	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	May 31	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
Blackrock Urban District	May 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	May 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	May 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	May 31	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	10
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	May 10	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	May 17	1	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	May 24	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	May 31	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	—	—	1
City of Cork	May 10	1	.	.	.	1	.	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	6	
	May 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	20	
	May 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	3	
	May 31	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	7	
City of Limerick	May 10	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1	
	May 17	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1	
	May 24	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	May 31	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1	
City of Waterford	May 10	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	May 17	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	May 24	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	May 31	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.

(a) Not including one case of encephalitis lethargica each.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 31st May, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 31st May			
	May 10	May 17	May 24	No. admitted.	Dis-charged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ..	3	5	8	.	.	.	8
Typhus, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ...	60	49	41	8	15	1	33
Scarlet Fever,...	83	75	72	23	10	2	83*
Diphtheria, ..	41	34	26	6	4	1	27
Pneumonia, ..	14	13	12	6	5	.	13

* Exclusive of 19 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 12·1 and 13·3; Dublin Registration Area, 11·6 and 13·0; Dublin City, 11·4 and 12·8; Cork, 13·6 and 16·2; Limerick, 2·7 and 11·9; and Waterford, 5·7 and 12·8.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·5 per 1,000. One of the 20 deaths from all causes for Cork was from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 246—122 boys and 124 girls—and the deaths to 109—55 males and 54 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 12) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 11·6 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-three weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 19·1 and was 2·9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-three weeks was 20·9, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 23·7.

Included in the 97 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from measles, one from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from measles were 2, 2, and 2; deaths from scarlet fever were one, 0, and 2; deaths from whooping-cough were one, 0, and 0; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were one, 7, and 3; and deaths from influenza were 3, 2, and one.

Tuberculous disease caused 19 deaths (17 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from tuberculous meningitis), as against 11, 14, and 8, from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Three deaths were caused by cancer, and 14 by diseases of the heart.

There were 7 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, and one from lobar-pneumonia. Bronchitis caused 9 deaths.

One accidental death was registered, and there was one case of suicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to whooping-cough, 2 were due to convulsions, one to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, 2 to congenital malformation and 4 to congenital debility.

Twenty-three of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 17 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 21 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 17 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 97 deaths recorded, 41 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 7th June, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 8·9) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 9·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland, was 13·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14·5 and for Edinburgh, 13·0.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 7th June, 1924, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES or URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

URBAN AREAS	POPULATION.		BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS		DEATHS.		Caused by		DEATHS.		METEOROLOGY *																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
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Total of 12 Town Districts		670,256	19.2	26.8	12.1	0.5	345	156	23	34

TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended, **Saturday, 7th June, 1924**, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS, DISTRICTS, &c.			ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY													TOTAL DEATHS.		CAUSED BY										IN INSTITUTIONS.				Number of Uncertified Deaths.			
				FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM PRINCIPAL EPIDEMIC DISEASES†	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis.		Cancer.		Diseases of Respiratory System.		Diarrhea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.		In Workhouse and Hosp.ale.		
COLS.			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)		
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																						
Urban Districts.	NORTH CITY, No. 1, E.		32,200	19.4	.	12	4	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	2	.	
	" " 1 W.		44,100	10.6	1.8	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	" " 2		29,500	14.1	.	8	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	" " 3		36,600	14.2	.	10	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	GLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of		5,900	17.9	.	5	1	.	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of		14,600	8.8	2.3	2	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of		11,900	12.4	.	11	4	1	1	1	1	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	SOUTH CITY, No. 1		46,100	11.2	.	10	1	1	.	.	.	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	
	" " 2		19,500	11.2	.	10	1	1	.	.	.	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
	" " 3		46,400	18.8	4.7	4	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
NEW KILMAINHAM		11,100	11.1	.	9	1	.	.	.	3	2	2	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	
Urban Districts.	RATHMINES AND RATHGAR		42,300	14.8	.	9	.	.	.	1	2	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Pembroke		31,700	5.2	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	BLACKROCK		10,100	14.6	2.9	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
	DÚN LAOGHAIRE		17,900	11.4	0.6	73	15	4	2	5	4	11	19	13	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	13	1	2	7	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total City of Dublin			333,000	12.3	0.5	24	2	.	.	1	3	3	7	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total Urban Districts			102,000	11.6	0.6	97	17	4	2	6	7	14	26	21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	17	2	3	7	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total Dublin Registration Area			435,000	11.6	0.6	12	.	2	2	2	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the Registration Area (not included in above)																																						
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Cork City Districts	CORK URBAN, No. 1		13,455	11.6	5.0	3	.	2	.	1	1	1	1	1	2	.	1
	" " 2		10,399	25.1	.	5	.	1	.	.	.	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
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	" " 5		6,250	8.3	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	1
	" " 6		11,581	9.0	.	2	.	1	1	1
	" " 7		16,056	9.7	.	3	.	1	1	1
Total City of Cork			76,673	13.6	0.7	20	3	5	2	1	7	2	2	1	1	4

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery	Malaria	Trench fever	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	May 17	2	.	.	.	—	12	—	7	1	2	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	.	30	57
	May 24	4	.	.	.	—	16	—	3	2	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	13	.	21	60
	May 31	5	.	.	.	—	11	—	7	1	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	31	60
	June 7	4	.	.	.	—	15	—	2	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	3	.	21	49
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	May 17	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	5
	May 24	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	May 31	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	—	1
	June 7	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	May 17	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	5
	May 24	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	3
	May 31	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	5
	June 7	.	.	.	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	5
Blackrock Urban District	May 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 31	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	1a
	June 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	May 17	1	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	May 24	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	May 31	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	1	—	.	1
	June 7	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	1	—	.	1
City of Cork	May 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	2a
	May 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	3
	May 31	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	7
	June 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	3
City of Limerick	May 17	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	1
	May 24	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 31	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	1
	June 7	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
City of Waterford	May 17	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	May 24	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	May 31	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	June 7	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1

(a) Not including one case of encephalitis lethargica each.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 7th June, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 7th June			
	May 17	May 24	May 31	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	5	8	8	2	.	.	10
Typhus,	.	.	.	1	..	.	1
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	49	41	33	10	12	.	31
Scarlet Fever,	75	72	83	15	17	2	79*
Diphtheria,	34	26	27	3	5	1	24
Pneumonia,	13	12	13	4	2	.	15

* Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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Twelve Town Districts, 13·5 and 13·5; Dublin Registration Area, 12·8 and 13·1; Dublin City, 13·2 and 12·9; Cork, 19·7 and 17·4; Limerick, 16·2 and 12·9; and Waterford, 5·7 and 10·0.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·5 per 1,000.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 244—122 boys and 122 girls—and the deaths to 121—73 males and 48 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·8 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-four weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 18·8 and was 3·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-four weeks was 20·6, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 23·5.

Included in the 107 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from measles, 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from measles were 2, 2, and one; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 7, 3 and 2; and deaths from influenza were 2, one, and one.

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (of which 10 were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis and 4 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 14, 8, and 19, from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, and 14 by diseases of the heart.

There were 11 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar-pneumonia and 4 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 3 deaths.

Three accidental deaths were registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old one was due to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to premature birth, and one to congenital debility.

Twenty-two of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 13 being infants under one year, of whom 3 were under one month old, and 30 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 18 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 107 deaths recorded, 48 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 14th June, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·2) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 9·4 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland, was 13·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·8 and for Edinburgh, 13·2.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoea) diseases.

TABLE II:—Showing for the week ended, Saturday, 14th June, 1924, the number of Deaths of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF DUBLIN, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 14th June, 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	May 24	4	.	.	.	—	16	—	3	2	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	13	.	21	60
	May 31	5	.	.	.	—	11	—	7	1	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	31	60
	June 7	4	.	.	.	—	15	—	5	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	3	.	21	49
	June 14	.	1	.	.	—	9	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	13	30
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	May 24	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	May 31	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	—	1
	June 7	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	June 14	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	May 24	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	3
	May 31	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	5
	June 7	.	.	.	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	5
	June 14	.	.	.	.	8	1	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	11
Blackrock Urban District	May 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1 ^a
	May 31	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	June 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	June 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	May 24	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	.	1
	May 31	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	.	1
	June 7	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	.	1
	June 14	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	2
City of Cork	May 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	3
	May 31	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	7
	June 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	3
	June 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	1
City of Limerick	May 24	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	1
	May 31	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 7	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	1
	June 14	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
City of Waterford	May 24	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	May 31	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	June 7	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	June 14	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1

(a) Not including one case of encephalitis lethargica.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 14th June, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 14th June			
	May 24	May 31	June 7	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	8	8	10	.	.	.	10
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	41	33	31	16	11	1	35
Scarlet Fever,	72	83	79	17	11	1	84*
Diphtheria,	26	27	24	3	8	.	19
Pneumonia,	12	13	15	6	5	.	16

* Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

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Twelve Town Districts, 12·7 and 12·7; Dublin Registration Area, 11·4 and 11·9; Dublin City, 11·1 and 11·7; Cork, 12·9 and 16·0; Limerick, 20·3 and 13·2; and Waterford, 7·6 and 9·0.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·8 per 1,000. One of the 19 deaths from all causes for Cork was from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 211—108 boys and 103 girls—and the deaths to 111—31 males and 50 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 16) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 11·4 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-five weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 18·5 and was 3·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-five weeks was 20·3, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 23·2.

Included in the 95 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from scarlet fever, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from scarlet fever, were 2, one, and 0; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 3, 2, and 3.

Tuberculous disease caused 11 deaths (all of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis), as against 8, 19, and 16 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Seventeen deaths were caused by cancer, and 7 by diseases of the heart.

There were 9 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 4 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar-pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 2 deaths.

Five accidental deaths were registered, one of which was due to drowning.

Among deaths of infants under one year old 2 were due to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to lobar-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 5 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Twenty-three of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 15 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 23 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 16 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 95 deaths recorded, 52 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 21st June, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·1) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 10·0 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland, was 12·9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 13·9 and for Edinburgh, 13·8.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended, Saturday, 21st June, 1924, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION TOWN, with the principal causes; also the Deaths Rate per 1,000 of the population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	May 31	5	.	.	.	—	11	—	7	1	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	31	60
	June 7	4	.	.	.	—	15	—	12	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	3	.	21	49
	June 14	.	1	.	.	—	9	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	13	30
	June 21	3	.	.	.	—	6	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	20	35
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	May 31	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	—	1
	June 7	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	—	8
	June 14	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	June 21	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	May 31	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	5
	June 7	.	.	.	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	5
	June 14	.	.	.	.	8	1	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	11
	June 21	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	7
Blackrock Urban District	May 31	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1a
	June 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	June 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	June 21	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	May 31	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	.	1
	June 7	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	.	1
	June 14	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	2
	June 21	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	.
City of Cork	May 31	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	—	7
	June 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	—	3
	June 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	—	1
	June 21	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	2	—	9
City of Limerick	May 31	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	1
	June 7	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	1
	June 14	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	June 21	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	2
City of Waterford	May 31	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	June 7	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	June 14	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	June 21	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.

(a) Not including one case of encephalitis lethargica.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 21st June, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 21st June			
	May 31	June 7	June 14	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	8	10	10	1	1	.	10
Typhus,	.	1	1	.	.	.	1
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	33	31	35	15	12	1	37
Scarlet Fever, ..	83	79	84	8	7	.	85*
Diphtheria, ..	27	24	19	4	4	.	19
Pneumonia, ..	13	15	16	5	7	.	14

* Exclusive of 17 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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Twelve Town Districts, 13·6 and 13·0; Dublin Registration Area, 12·6 and 12·1; Dublin City, 13·9 and 12·4; Cork, 17·0 and 16·1; Limerick, 5·4 and 11·2; and Waterford, 24·7 and 10·9.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·8 per 1,000. Of the 4 deaths from all causes for Galway 2 were from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 256—147 boys and 109 girls—and the deaths to 119—54 males and 65 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·6 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-six weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 18·3 and was 2·9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-six weeks was 20·1, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 22·9.

Included in the 105 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from paratyphoid fever, two from measles, one from scarlet fever, one from diphtheria, one from influenza, two from encephalitis lethargica and one from cerebro-spinal fever. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from measles were one, one and 0; deaths from scarlet fever, were one, 0 and one; deaths from influenza were one, one and 0. There were no deaths from enteric fever, diphtheria, encephalitis lethargica or cerebro-spinal fever in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 9 deaths (all of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis), as against 19, 16 and 11 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, and 8 by diseases of the heart.

There were 11 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 9 from broncho-pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 4 deaths.

Two accidental deaths were registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to meningitis, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, one to congenital malformation, 7 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Twenty-nine of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 21 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 23 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 18 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 105 deaths recorded, 46 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 28th June, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·6) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 9·8 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland, was 1·9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·6 and for Edinburgh, 10·6.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, leprosy, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended, Saturday, 28th June, 1924, the number of Deaths of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING BY DEATHS.		TOTAL DEATHS.	CAUSED BY													IN INSTITU- TIONS.																	
			FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC Dis- EASES†		Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Res- piratory System.		Other.	Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons, and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
																							Pulmonary.	Other Forms.		Pneumonia.	Other.									

DEATHS.																																

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† See note (†) at foot of first page.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	June 7	4	.	.	.	—	15	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	3	.	21	49
	June 14	.	1	.	.	—	9	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	13	30
	June 21	3	.	.	.	—	6	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	20	35
	June 28	2	.	.	.	—	7	—	6	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	.	25	45
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	June 7	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	June 14	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	—	8
	June 21	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	June 28	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	June 7	.	.	.	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	5
	June 14	.	.	.	.	8	1	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	11
	June 21	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	7
	June 28	.	.	.	.	28	2	2	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	33
Blackrock Urban District	June 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	June 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	June 21	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
	June 28	.	.	.	.	2	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	3
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	June 7	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	.	1
	June 14	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	2
	June 21	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	June 28	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	June 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	3
	June 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	1
	June 21	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	—	9
	June 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	—	3
City of Limerick	June 7	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	June 14	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	1
	June 21	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	2
	June 28	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford	June 7	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	June 14	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	June 21	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	June 28	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	2

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 28th June, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 28th June			
	June 7	June 14	June 21	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	10	10	10	2	5	.	7
Typhus,	1	1	1	.	.	.	1
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	31	35	37	17	15	.	39
Scarlet Fever,	79	84	85	12	11	1	85*
Diphtheria,	24	19	19	10	4	1	24
Pneumonia,	15	16	14	3	2	1	14

* Exclusive of 15 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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Twelve Town Districts, 12·0 and 13·0; Dublin Registration Area, 9·5 and 11·6; Dublin City, 9·4 and 11·9; Cork, 21·8 and 17·9; Limerick, 24·4 and 16·6; and Waterford, 13·3 and 12·8.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·3 per 1,000. Of the 18 deaths from all causes for Limerick one was from scarlet fever, and of the 5 deaths for Galway one was from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 208—108 boys and 100 girls—and the deaths to 89—45 males and 44 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 10) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 9·5 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-seven weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 18·0 and was 3·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-seven weeks was 19·7, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 22·7.

Included in the 79 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from measles, one from scarlet fever, one from influenza, and one from encephalitis lethargica. In the three preceding weeks, deaths from measles were one, 0 and 2; deaths from scarlet fever were 0, one and one, deaths from influenza were one, 0 and one, and deaths from encephalitis lethargica 0, 0 and 2.

Tuberculous disease caused 17 deaths (13 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis and three from general tuberculosis), against 16, 11 and 9, from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, and 6 by diseases of the heart.

There were 4 deaths from pneumonia, all of which were from broncho-pneumonia. Bronchitis caused 6 deaths.

One accidental death, due to burns, was registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to congenital malformations, 3 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Twenty-three of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 14 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 20 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 16 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 79 deaths recorded, 39 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 5th July, in 105 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 8·4) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 9·6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland, was 12·2 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·7 and for Edinburgh, 11·5.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

DEATHS.

REGISTRATION DISTRICTS, &c.		MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY														IN INSTITUTIONS.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.																		
		OF 1924.*		CAUSED BY														IN INSTITUTIONS.																				
		ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES†	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.		Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Res- piratory System.	Other.	Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.				
TOTAL DEATHS.		(4)	(3)	(2)	(1)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)			
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City of Dublin	June 14	.	1	.	.	—	9	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	13	30
	June 21	3	.	.	.	—	6	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	20	35
	June 28	2	.	.	.	—	7	—	6	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	.	25	45
	July 5	—	5	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	7	1	.	.	.	13	32
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	June 14	—	2	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	—	8
	June 21	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	2
	June 28	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	—	—	5
	July 5	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
Pembroke Urban District	June 14	8	1	.	2	1	.	—	—	—	.	11
	June 21	6	2	.	1	.	.	—	—	—	.	7
	June 28	28	2	2	1	.	.	—	—	—	.	33
	July 5	21	1	2	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	24
Blackrock Urban District	June 14	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 21	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	1
	June 28	2	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	3
	July 5	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	1
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	June 14	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	—	.	—	—	.	2
	June 21	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	—	.	.
	June 28	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	—	.	.
	July 5	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	—	.	—	—	.	2
City of Cork	June 14	1	—	4	1	.	1	—	.	—	2	—	1
	June 21	—	3	—	.	—	.	—	9
	June 28	—	3	—	.	1	4	—	3
	July 5	2	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	10
City of Limerick	June 14	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	1
	June 21	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	2
	June 28	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	.
	July 5	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	1
City of Waterford	June 14	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	.	1
	June 21	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	.	2
	June 28	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	.	3
	July 5	—	2	—	.	1	.	—	—	—	—	—	.	3

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DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 5th July			
	June 14	June 21	June 28	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	10	10	7	1	3	.	5
Typhus,	1	1	1	.	.	.	1
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	35	37	39	8	18	.	29
Scarlet Fever,	84	85	85	14	19	.	80*
Diphtheria,	19	19	24	3	6	1	20
Pneumonia,	16	14	14	7	3	.	18

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The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·4 per 1,000. One of the 4 deaths from all causes for Dundalk was from scarlet fever.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 291—141 boys and 150 girls—and the deaths to 113—61 males and 52 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 10) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·3 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-eight weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 17·8 and was 3·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-eight weeks was 19·5, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 22·5.

Included in the 103 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from measles, one from diphtheria, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under two years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles were 0, 2 and one; deaths from diphtheria were 0, one and 0, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under two years were 2, 0 and 0. One death from cerebrospinal meningitis was registered.

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (7 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 from tuberculous meningitis and one from general tuberculosis), against 11, 9 and 17 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Fifteen deaths were caused by cancer and 17 by diseases of the heart.

There were 3 deaths from pneumonia, all of which were from broncho-pneumonia. Bronchitis caused 6 deaths.

Three accidental deaths, all of children under two years of age, were registered, 2 being due to scalds and one to burns.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to convulsions, one to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to enteritis, 3 to congenital malformations, one to premature birth, and 7 to congenital debility.

Twenty-one of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 16 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 32 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 27 were 70 years of age or over.

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URBAN AREAS.	POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS		DEATHS.															METEOROLOGY.													
	Total (a)	Per-sons to an Acre.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		TOTAL NUMBER.	Caused by															Air-Temperature.												
			From all Causes.	From principal Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Typhus	Small-pox.		Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of the Respira- tory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.											
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	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS	670,256	24.1	30.7	11.4	0.4	394	147	20	45	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	1	16	8	20	5	7	2	.	4	1	57	1	Mean of (A) and (B).	
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	435,000	23.0	32.2	12.3	0.4	269	103	16	32	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	.	.	7	5	15	3	6	1	.	3	.	44	1	(c) 72.2	44.3	67.4	51.1	59.3	
DUBLIN CITY	333,000	25.1	33.7	13.0	0.3	215	83	13	21	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	7	4	11	3	6	.	.	3	.	38	1	{(d) 74.0	50.6	67.8	54.7	61.3	
RATHMINES & RATHGAR URBAN DISTRICT	42,300	11.1	17.3	6.2	.	14	5	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
PENROSE	31,700	18.1	29.6	16.4	1.6	18	10	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKROCK	10,100	2.2	31.0	15.5	.	6	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,900	32.0	46.6	5.8	.	16	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN CITY	76,673	28.6	17.7	8.8	.	26	13	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	3	1	.	.	.	1	1	9	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD CITY	38,518	16.1	44.7	6.8	.	33	5	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD CITY	27,464	19.1	39.9	3.8	.	21	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUNDALK	13,255	2.5	2.5	3.8	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
ROGHEDA	12,501	8.4	8.4	8.4	.	5	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD	11,531	22.8	22.8	22.8	.	10	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIGO	11,163	2.8	2.8	2.8	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN CITY	10,514	11.4	11.4	11.4	.	9	6	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN CITY	10,300	17.4	17.4	17.4	.	4	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN CITY	10,209	4.8	4.8	4.8	.	7	3	1	
DUBLIN CITY	434,000	29.1	24.4	12.6	1.0	203	105	20	31	.	.	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	11	4	9	3	9	3	1	.	1	1	32	.	72.0	46.5	65.9	52.0	
DUNDONDERY CITY	47,000	18.2	30.0	16.6	2.2	27	15	2	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,564,109	—	19.3	8.7	—	1,694	763	73	269	.	.	6	1	1	4	9	.	3	76	17	125	51	37	6	1	38	77	428	.	89	51	79.3	53.9	66.0	
EDINBURGH	427,500	—	—	10.3	0.6	180	84	8	39	3	2	3	.	1	—	—	—	—	13	.	.	5	—	—	—	77.0	49.0	68.1	52.9	50.4	
LASGOW	1,051,000	—	—	12.0	0.9	511	232g	40	68	.	.	2	1	12	12	.	.	2	—	—	—	—	38	4	.	20	—	—	—	75.0	49.7	66.0	53.1	59.6	

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1923. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (+) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

* Hours of bright sunshine during the week:—40·8 at Phoenix Park; 32·4 at Trinity College; 29 (approximately) at Botanic Gardens; 40·1 at Dún Laoghaire; and 21·6 at Markree.

DEATHS,

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* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Urinary Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	June 21	3	.	.	.	—	6	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	20	35
	June 28	2	.	.	.	—	7	—	6	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	.	25	45
	July 5	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	7	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	13	32
	July 12	1	.	.	.	—	16	—	5	3	.	—	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	5	33
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	June 21	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	June 28	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	July 5	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	—	5
	July 12	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
Pembroke Urban District	June 21	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	7
	June 28	.	.	.	.	28	2	2	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	33
	July 5	.	.	.	.	21	1	2	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	24
	July 12	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	4
Blackrock Urban District	June 21	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
	June 28	.	.	.	.	2	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	3
	July 5	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
	July 12	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	June 21	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	.
	June 28	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	.
	July 5	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	2
	July 12	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	1
City of Cork	June 21	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	2	—	9
	June 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	3
	July 5	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	.	—	10
	July 12	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	4	—	7
City of Limerick	June 21	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	2
	June 28	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	July 5	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	1
	July 12	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford	June 21	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	June 28	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	2
	July 5	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	3
	July 12	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 12th July, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 12th July			
	June 21	June 28	July 5	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ..	10	7	5	.	.	.	5
Typhus, ..	1	1	1	.	1	.	.
Small-pox, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ..	37	39	29	12	10	.	31
Scarlet Fever, ..	85	85	80	21	24	.	77*
Diphtheria, ..	19	24	20	7	9	2	16
Pneumonia, ..	14	14	18	3	.	.	21

* Exclusive of 17 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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Twelve Town Districts, 12·6 and 12·4; Dublin Registration Area, 12·9 and 11·8; Dublin City, 13·0 and 12·3; Cork, 13·6 and 15·3; Limerick, 10·8 and 11·6; and Waterford, 7·6 and 12·4.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·5 per 1,000. Two of the 20 deaths from all causes for Cork were from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 265—145 boys and 120 girls—and the deaths to 122—60 males and 62 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·9 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-nine weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 17·6 and was 3·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-nine weeks was 19·4, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 22·3.

Included in the 108 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from measles, one from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under two years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles were 2, one and one; deaths from scarlet fever were one, one and 0, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under two years were 0, 0 and one. No deaths from whooping-cough were registered in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 17 deaths (13 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 9, 17 and 12 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Twelve deaths were caused by cancer and 7 by diseases of the heart.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar-pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia, not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 7 deaths.

Two accidental deaths were registered, one, that of a child aged 1½ years, being due to scalds.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to meningitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 4 to premature birth, and 7 to congenital debility.

Twenty-nine of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 18 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 23 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 17 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 108 deaths recorded, 46 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 19th July, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 8·6) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 8·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland, was 11·1 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11·1 and for Edinburgh, 10·4.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases

Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

DEATHS,

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	June 28	2	.	.	.	—	7	—	6	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	.	25	45
	July 5	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	13	32
	July 12	1	.	.	.	—	16	—	5	3	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	5	33
	July 19	.	1	.	.	—	5	—	2	1	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	6	21
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	June 28	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	—	2
	July 5	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	July 12	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	July 19	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
Pembroke Urban District	June 28	.	.	.	.	28	2	2	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	33
	July 5	.	.	.	.	21	1	2	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	24
	July 12	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	4
	July 19	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	4
Blackrock Urban District	June 28	.	.	.	.	2	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	3
	July 5	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
	July 12	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
	July 19	.	.	.	.	7	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	7
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	June 28	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	July 5	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
	July 12	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	July 19	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
City of Cork	June 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	4	—	3
	July 5	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	10
	July 12	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	7
	July 19	1	.	.	.	.	2	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	6
City of Limerick	June 28	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	July 5	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	July 12	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	July 19	2	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
City of Waterford	June 28	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	2
	July 5	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	3
	July 12	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	July 19	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 19th July, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 19th July			
	June 28	July 5	July 12	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	7	5	5	2	2	.	5
Typhus,	1	1	.	1	.	.	1
Small-pox. .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	39	29	31	3	4	.	30
Scarlet Fever,	85	80	77	15	20	1	71*
Diphtheria,	24	20	16	5	3	.	18
Pneumonia,	14	18	21	6	3	1	23

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Twelve Town Districts, 11·5 and 11·9; Dublin Registration Area, 10·2 and 11·2; Dublin City, 9·9 and 11·3; Cork, 17·0 and 15·3; Limerick, 13·5 and 13·9; and Waterford, 20·9 and 11·4.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·0 per 1,000. One of the 25 deaths from all causes for Cork was from whooping-cough, and one of the 10 deaths for Limerick was from diphtheria.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 243—121 boys and 122 girls—and the deaths to 94—43 males and 51 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 9) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 10·2 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 17·4 and was 3·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty weeks was 19·1, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 22·1.

Included in the 85 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from scarlet fever, one from diphtheria, and 7 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under two years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were one, 0 and one; deaths from diphtheria were 0, one and 0; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under two years were 0, one and 2.

Tuberculous disease caused 9 deaths (all of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis), as against 17, 12 and 17 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer and 13 by diseases of the heart.

There were 2 deaths from pneumonia, comprising one from broncho-pneumonia, and one from pneumonia, not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused one death.

Four accidental deaths were registered, one being due to drowning.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to diphtheria, 3 were due to convulsions, one to pneumonia, 5 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 2 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Twenty-one of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 17 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 27 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 16 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 85 deaths recorded, 36 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 26th July, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 8·3) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 8·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland, was 12·4 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·6 and for Edinburgh, 12·6.

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City of Dublin	July 5	—	5	—	6	3	.	—	.	.	.	7	1	.	.	.	13	32
	July 12	1	.	.	.	—	16	—	12	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	5	33
	July 19	.	1	.	.	—	5	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	6	6	21
	July 26	2	.	.	.	—	8	—	5	.	.	—	1	.	6	22
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	July 5	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	—	5
	July 12	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	1
	July 19	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	1
	July 26	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	July 5	21	1	2	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	24
	July 12	2	.	2	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	4
	July 19	3	1	—	—	—	.	4
	July 26	—	—	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	July 5	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	1
	July 12	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	1
	July 19	7	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	7
	July 26	5	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	5
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	July 5	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	—	.	.	—	.	2
	July 12	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	—	.	1
	July 19	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	—	.	.
	July 26	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	—	.	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	July 5	2	—	3	—	.	1	4	—	10
	July 12	1	—	4	1	.	1	—	.	.	.	—	7
	July 19	1	2	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	6
	July 26	—	1	2	—	.	.	3	—	6
City of Limerick	July 5	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	1
	July 12	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	July 19	2	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	2
	July 26	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	—	—	—	1
City of Waterford	July 5	—	2	—	.	1	.	—	—	—	—	—	.	3
	July 12	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	.	1
	July 19	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	.	.
	July 26	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	.	.

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DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 26th July			
	July 5	July 12	July 19	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	5	5	5	.	.	.	5
Typhus,	1	.	1	.	.	.	1
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	29	31	30	5	8	.	27
Scarlet Fever,	80	77	71	12	17	1	65*
Diphtheria,	20	16	18	4	4	1	17
Pneumonia,	18	21	23	1	9	.	15

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 11·1 and 11·7; Dublin Registration Area, 11·3 and 11·7; Dublin City, 11·4 and 11·8; Cork, 10·2 and 12·4; Limerick, 16·2 and 11·8; and Waterford, 11·4 and 10·9.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·1 per 1,000. One of the 15 deaths from all causes for Cork was from whooping-cough, and one of the 12 deaths for Limerick was from diphtheria.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 278—146 boys and 132 girls—and the deaths to 104—49 males and 55 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 10) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 11·3 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-one weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 17·2 and was 3·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-one weeks was 18·9, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 21·9.

Included in the 94 deaths appertaining to the Area are 2 from measles, one from scarlet fever, one from diphtheria, and 6 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under two years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from measles were one, one and 0; deaths from scarlet fever were 0, one and one; deaths from diphtheria were one, 0 and one; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under two years were one, 2 and 7. One death from encephalitis lethargica was registered.

Tuberculous disease caused 6 deaths (of which 4 were from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and one from tuberculosis of the spine), as against 12, 17 and 9 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Fifteen deaths were caused by cancer and 12 by diseases of the heart.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia, not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 4 deaths.

One death, due to ptomaine poisoning, was registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to measles, 2 were due to convulsions, 5 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 2 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Twenty-one of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 15 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 29 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 23 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 94 deaths recorded, 39 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 2nd August, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 8·3) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 8·8 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland, was 11·5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 10·9 and for Edinburgh, 13·0.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 2nd August, 1924, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES or URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1923. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924.

TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended, Saturday, 2nd August, 1924, the number of Deaths of Residents in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 2nd August 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	July 12	1	.	.	.	—	16	—	5	3	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	5	33
	July 19	.	1	.	.	—	5	—	2	1	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	6	21
	July 26	2	.	.	.	—	8	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	6	22
	Aug. 2	5	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	9	23
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	July 12	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	July 19	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	July 26	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Aug. 2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	July 12	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	4
	July 19	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	4
	July 26	.	.	.	.	10	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	14	.
	Aug. 2	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4	.
Blackrock Urban District	July 12	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
	July 19	.	.	.	.	7	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	7
	July 26	.	.	.	.	5	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	5
	Aug. 2	.	.	.	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	2
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	July 12	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	1
	July 19	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	.
	July 26	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	1
	Aug. 2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	.
City of Cork	July 12	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	7
	July 19	1	.	.	.	.	2	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	6
	July 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	6
	Aug. 2	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	1	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	3	—	9
City of Limerick	July 12	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	July 19	2	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	July 26	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
	Aug. 2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
City of Waterford	July 12	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	1
	July 19	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	.
	July 26	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	.

(a) Pyrexia.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 2nd August, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 2nd August			
	July 12	July 19	July 26	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	5	5	5	5	2	.	8
Typhus,	.	1	1	.	.	.	1
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	31	30	27	2	17	.	12
Scarlet Fever,	77	71	65	14	19	.	60*
Diphtheria,	16	18	17	2	2	.	17
Pneumonia,	21	23	15	5	5	.	15

* Exclusive of 20 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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Twelve Town Districts, 12·4 and 11·9; Dublin Registration Area, 12·7 and 11·8; Dublin City, 14·4 and 12·2; Cork, 17·7 and 14·6; Limerick, 5·4 and 11·5; and Waterford, 17·1 and 14·3.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·9 per 1,000. Among the 26 deaths from all causes for Cork were one from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one of the 2 deaths for Sligo was from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 172—97 boys and 75 girls—and the deaths to 117—63 males and 54 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 11) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·7 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-two weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 17·0 and was 3·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-two weeks was 18·7, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 21·7.

Included in the 106 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from diphtheria, 6 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under two years and one from influenza. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were 0, one and one; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under two years were 2, 7 and 6. There were no deaths from influenza in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 9 deaths (of which 5 were from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 17, 9 and 6 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Twelve deaths were caused by cancer and 14 by diseases of the heart.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 4 from broncho-pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia, not otherwise defined. Bronchitis caused 5 deaths.

Five accidental deaths were registered, of which 2 were due to vehicles, one to drowning, and one to carbon-monoxide poisoning, and there was one death by execution and one case of suicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to convulsions, 3 were due to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformation, 2 to premature birth, and 5 to congenital debility.

Twenty-one of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 13 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 29 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 22 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 106 deaths recorded, 48 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 9th August, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 8·4) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 8·7 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland, was 10·7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 10·7 and for Edinburgh, 11·9.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases † ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also, the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

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* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 9th August 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis	Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	July 19	.	1	.	.	—	5	—	12	1	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	6	21
	July 26	2	.	.	.	—	3	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	.	6	22
	Aug. 2	5	.	.	.	—	6	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	9	23
	Aug. 9	2	.	.	.	—	3	—	5	1	.	—	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	5	19
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	July 19	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	1
	July 26	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
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Pembroke Urban District	July 19	3	1	—	—	—	.	4
	July 26	10	4	—	—	—	.	14
	Aug. 2	3	1	—	—	—	.	4
	Aug. 9	—	—	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	July 19	7	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	7
	July 26	5	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	5
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	Aug. 9	2	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	2
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	July 19	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	—	.	.
	July 26	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	—	.	.	—	.	1
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City of Cork	July 19	1	2	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	6
	July 26	—	1	2	—	.	.	.	—	6
	Aug. 2	1	—	1	.	.	3	—	.	.	.	—	9
	Aug. 9	—	2	1	—	.	.	1	—	4
City of Limerick	July 19	2	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	2
	July 26	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	1
	Aug. 2	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	1
	Aug. 9	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	1
City of Waterford	July 19	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	.	.
	July 26	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	.	1
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	Aug. 9	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	.	3

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DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 9th August			
	July 19	July 26	Aug. 2	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	5	5	8	3	.	.	11
Typhus,	1	1	1	.	.	.	1
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	30	27	12	6	7	.	11
Scarlet Fever,	71	65	60	9	15	1	53*
Diphtheria,	18	17	17	5	2	1	19
Pneumonia,	23	15	15	1	1	.	15

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Twelve Town Districts, 11·8 and 11·7; Dublin Registration Area, 11·5 and 11·4; Dublin City, 11·0 and 11·7; Cork, 17·7 and 15·7; Limerick, 6·8 and 10·5; and Waterford, 9·5 and 14·7.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·0 per 1,000. There was one death from influenza among the 4 deaths from all causes for Wexford.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 273—134 boys and 139 girls—and the deaths to 105—59 males and 46 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 9) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 11·5 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-three weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 16·9 and was 3·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-three weeks was 18·5, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 21·5.

Included in the 96 deaths appertaining to the Area are 2 from diphtheria, and 11 from diarrhoeal diseases. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were one, one and one; and deaths from diarrhoeal diseases were 7, 6 and 6. There was one death from encephalitis lethargica.

Tuberculous disease caused 14 deaths (of which 9 were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 9, 6 and 9 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Fifteen deaths were caused by cancer and 12 by diseases of the heart.

There were 3 deaths from broncho-pneumonia, and 6 from bronchitis.

Two accidental deaths were registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to diphtheria, 8 were due to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to premature birth, and one to congenital debility.

Eighteen of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 12 being infants under one year, of whom one was under one month old, and 24 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 19 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 96 deaths recorded, 50 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 16th August, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 8·2) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 9·1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland, was 11·0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 10·6 and for Edinburgh, 12·2.

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TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 16th August, 1924, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 Cities or Urban Districts, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY Cities (exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

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POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS.		From all Causes.		From principal Epidemic Diseases. (b)		TOTAL NUMBER		Under 1 year of Age.		At 65 years and upwards.		Caused by										Air Temperature.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																					
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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1923. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park; (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree.

(g) Observations at Trinity College; 27 (approximately) at Botanic Gardens; and 20.5 at Markree.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 16th August 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Varicella	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	July 26	2	.	.	.	—	8	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	22
	Aug. 2	5	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	9	23
	Aug. 9	2	.	.	.	—	3	—	5	1	.	—	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	5	19
	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	5	23
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	July 26	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Aug. 2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Aug. 9	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	July 26	.	.	.	.	10	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	14
	Aug. 2	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Aug. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	9
Blackrock Urban District	July 26	.	.	.	.	5	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Aug. 2	.	.	.	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Aug. 9	.	.	.	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	July 26	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	1
	Aug. 2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	1
	Aug. 9	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	.
	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	.
City of Cork	July 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	2	.	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	3	—	6
	Aug. 2	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	1	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	4	—	9
	Aug. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	1	—	4
	Aug. 16	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	5	—	11
City of Limerick	July 26	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Aug. 2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1a
	Aug. 9	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford	July 26	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Aug. 2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 9	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	3
	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	2

(a) Pyrexia.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 16th August, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 16th August			
	July 26	Aug. 2	Aug. 9	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	5	8	11	2	2	.	11
Typhus,	1	1	1	.	1	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	27	12	11	.	2	.	9
Scarlet Fever,	65	60	53	20	7	.	66*
Diphtheria,	17	17	19	2	1	.	20
Pneumonia,	15	15	15	5	3	.	17

* Exclusive of 19 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

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The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·5 per 1,000. One of the 2 deaths recorded for Wexford was from enteric fever.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 254—132 boys and 122 girls—and the deaths to 121—64 males and 57 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 12) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 13·1 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-four weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 16·8 and was 3·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-four weeks was 18·4, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 21·4.

Included in the 109 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from whooping-cough, and 14 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age were 6, 6 and 9. There were no deaths from whooping-cough in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (of which 13 were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 6, 9 and 14 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, and 7 by diseases of the heart.

There were 2 deaths from broncho-pneumonia, and 4 from bronchitis.

No accidental deaths were registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 12 were due to diarrhoea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, 4 to congenital malformations and 8 to congenital debility.

Forty-two of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 34 being infants under one year, of whom 14 were under one month old, and 22 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 17 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 109 deaths recorded, 41 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 23rd August, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 9·0) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 9·1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 11·1 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 10·9 and for Edinburgh, 10·2.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended, Saturday, 23rd August, 1924, the number of Deaths of Residents in the several Registrars' Districts in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the City of CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		TOTAL DEATHS.	CAUSED BY													IN INSTITU- TIONS.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.																	
			FROM PRIN- CIPAL CAUSES	FROM ALL EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES†		CAUSED BY																																
						Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.				Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Res- piratory System.	Other.	Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Violence, and upwards.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons, and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.		
Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)				
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																						
Urban Districts.	North City, No. 1, E.	32,200	19.4	4.9	12	5	2	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
	" " 1 W.	44,100	17.7	3.5	15	5	1	1	3	1	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
	" " 2	29,500	15.9	3.5	9	5	1	1	2	1	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
	" " 3	36,600	12.8	1.4	9	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
	OLCSTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,900	8.8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
	COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,600	7.1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
	FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,900	12.4	5.3	11	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
	SOUTH CITY, No. 1	46,100	18.7	1.1	7	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
	" " 2	19,500	7.9	1.1	7	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" " 3	46,400	13.4	4.7	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
" " 4	35,100	9.4	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
NEW KILMAINHAM																																						
Urban Districts.	RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	42,300	9.9	1	8	3	1	1	1	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2			
	PEMBROKE	31,700	16.4	1	10	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
	BLACKBROCK	10,100	20.4	5.8	7	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
	DUN LAOGHAIRE	17,900	13.2	2.0	84	29	5	1	2	8	14	10	15	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
Total City of Dublin																																						
Total Urban Districts																																						
Total Dublin Registration Area																																						
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the Registration Area (not included in above)																																						
CITY OF CORK.																																						
Cork City Districts	CORK URBAN, No. 1	13,455	11.6	1	3	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
	" " 2	10,399	25.1	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
	" " 3	9,793	21.3	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
	" " 4	9,139	5.7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
	" " 5	6,250	50.1	1	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
	" " 6	11,581	9.0	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
	" " 7	16,056	6.5	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
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City of Dublin	Aug. 2	5	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	9	23
	Aug. 9	2	.	.	.	—	3	—	5	1	.	—	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	5	19
	Aug. 16	—	12	—	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	4	5	23
	Aug. 23	2	.	.	.	—	11	—	.	3	.	—	.	.	.	2	8	26
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Aug. 2	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Aug. 9	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Aug. 16	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Aug. 23	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
Pembroke Urban District	Aug. 2	3	1	—	—	.	4
	Aug. 9	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 16	9	—	—	.	9
	Aug. 23	2	—	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Aug. 2	2	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	2
	Aug. 9	2	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	2
	Aug. 16	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 23	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Aug. 2	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 9	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	—	.	1
	Aug. 16	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 23	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Aug. 2	1	—	1	.	.	3	—	.	.	4	—	9
	Aug. 9	—	2	1	—	.	.	1	—	4
	Aug. 16	1	—	2	.	.	3	—	.	.	5	—	11
	Aug. 23	1	1	—	2	.	.	4	—	.	.	4	—	12
City of Limerick	Aug. 2	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	1a
	Aug. 9	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	Aug. 16	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	Aug. 23	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Aug. 2	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	.	3
	Aug. 9	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	.	2
	Aug. 16	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 23	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	.	1

(a) Pyrexia.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 23rd August, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 23rd August			
	Aug. 2	Aug. 9	Aug. 16	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	8	11	11	3	.	.	14
Typhus,	1	1
Small-pox,
Measles,	12	11	9	1	4	.	6
Scarlet Fever,	60	53	66	14	15	1	64*
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The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·6 per 1,000. One of the 2 deaths recorded for Dundalk was from enteric fever.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 314—164 boys and 150 girls—and the deaths to 119—66 males and 53 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 7) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 13·4 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-five weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 16·7 and was 3·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-five weeks was 18·3, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 21·3.

Included in the 112 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from scarlet fever, and 7 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age were 6, 9, and 14. There were no deaths from scarlet fever in the three preceding weeks. One death from malaria was registered.

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (of which 14 were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 9, 14 and 16 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Two deaths were caused by cancer, and 24 by diseases of the heart.

There were one death from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar-pneumonia, and 8 from bronchitis.

Among 3 accidental deaths, one was due to drowning and one to a motor vehicle, and there was also one death by suicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to tuberculosis, 3 were due to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, 7 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 8 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation and 9 to congenital debility.

Thirty-seven of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 31 being infants under one year, of whom 15 were under one month old, and 26 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 14 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 112 deaths recorded, 42 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 30th August, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 8·5) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 8·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 11·7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 10·8 and for Edinburgh, 14·3.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 30th August, 1924, in the DUBLIN Registration Area, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES or URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDOERY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Unrecorded Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1928. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Mankree.

* Hours of bright sunshine during the week :—12·6 at Phoenix Park ; 7·9 at Trinity College ; 14 (approximately) at Botanic Gardens ; and 12·2 at Markree.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 30th August 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Aug. 9	2	.	.	.	—	3	—	5	1	.	—	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	5	19
	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	—	2	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	5	23
	Aug. 23	2	.	.	.	—	11	—	.	3	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	2	26
	Aug. 30	3	.	.	.	—	7	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	6	21
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Aug. 9	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Aug. 23	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Aug. 30	2	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
Pembroke Urban District	Aug. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	9
	Aug. 23	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Aug. 9	.	.	.	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	2
	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Aug. 9	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 23	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
City of Cork	Aug. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	4
	Aug. 16	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	—	11
	Aug. 23	1	.	.	.	.	1	—	2	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	—	12
	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
City of Limerick	Aug. 9	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Aug. 23	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Aug. 9	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	3
	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	2
	Aug. 23	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	1
	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 30th August, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 30th August			
	Aug. 9	Aug. 16	Aug. 23	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	11	11	14	4	3	.	15
Typhus,	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	11	9	6	1	3	.	4
Scarlet Fever,	53	66	64	10	10	2	62*
Diphtheria,	19	20	20	.	2	.	18
Pneumonia,	15	17	17	2	4	.	15

* Exclusive of 12 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts (a), 10·0 and 11·9; Dublin Registration Area, 10·5 and 12·1; Dublin City, 11·4 and 12·3; Cork, 11·6 and 14·3; Limerick, 9·5 and 12·2; and Waterford, 11·4 and 10·9.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, all of which occurred in the Dublin Registration Area, registered during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·9 per 1,000.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 251—121 boys and 130 girls—and the deaths to 103—55 males and 48 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 15) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 10·5 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-six weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 16·5 and was 3·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-six weeks was 18·1, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 21·2.

Included in the 88 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from measles, and 11 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age were 9, 14, and 7. There were no deaths from measles in the three preceding weeks.

One death from encephalitis lethargica was registered.

Tuberculous disease caused 9 deaths (all of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis), as against 14, 16 and 16 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, and 7 by diseases of the heart.

There were 3 deaths from pneumonia, comprising one from each of broncho-pneumonia, lobar pneumonia, and pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 6 deaths.

Two accidental deaths were registered, one being due to carbon-monoxide poisoning and one to a motor vehicle, and there was one death by suicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to measles, 2 were due to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 9 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, 2 to congenital malformation and 7 to congenital debility.

Thirty of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 24 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 23 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 17 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 88 deaths recorded, 32 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 6th September, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 9·1) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 9·1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 11·5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11·2 and for Edinburgh, 13·6.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

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TABLE II.—Showing for the week end d. Saturday, 6th Sept., 1924, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in one or more of the Principal Causes, also the Deaths Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from some of the principal causes; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	.	2	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	5	23
	Aug. 23	2	.	.	.	—	11	—	.	3	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	8	26
	Aug. 30	3	.	.	.	—	7	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	.	6	21
	Sept. 6	2	.	.	.	—	5	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	17	28
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Aug. 23	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Aug. 30	2	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	9
	Aug. 23	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Blackrock Urban District	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 6	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 23	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Aug. 16	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	5	—	11
	Aug. 23	1	.	.	.	.	1	—	2	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	4	—	12
	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	4
	Sept. 6	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	5
City of Limerick	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 23	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
City of Waterford	Aug. 16	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	2
	Aug. 23	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 6th Sept., 1924, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 6th September,			
	Aug. 16	Aug. 23	Aug. 30	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ..	11	14	15	4	1	.	18
Typhus, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ..	9	6	4	.	.	1	3
Scarlet Fever, ..	66	64	62	4	13	.	53*
Diphtheria, ..	20	20	18	3	4	.	17
Pneumonia, ..	17	17	15	4	5	1	13

* Exclusive of 16 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 11·2 and 11·7; Dublin Registration Area, 12·2 and 12·3; Dublin City, 12·1 and 12·6; Cork, 6·8 and 11·6; Limerick, 4·1 and 11·5; and Waterford, 9·5 and 10·9.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 Town Districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·5 per 1,000. One of the 4 deaths from all causes for Galway was from whooping-cough, and one of the 13 deaths from all causes for Dundalk was from enteric fever.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 259—119 boys and 140 girls—and the deaths to 117—58 males and 59 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 15) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·2 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-seven weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 16·4 and was 3·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-seven weeks was 18·0, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 21·1.

Included in the 102 deaths appertaining to the Area are 16 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age were 14, 7 and 11.

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (9 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 16, 16 and 9 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, and 8 by diseases of the heart.

There were 4 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, and one from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 3 deaths.

Two accidental deaths were registered, one (that of a child aged 5 years) being due to burns.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, 15 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation and 6 to congenital debility.

Forty of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 36 being infants under one year, of whom 13 were under one month old, and 18 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 11 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 102 deaths recorded, 40 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 13th September, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 9·4) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 9·5 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoea diseases.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended Saturday, 13th Sept., 1924, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Aug. 23	2	.	.	.	—	11	—	.	3	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	8	26
	Aug. 30	3	.	.	.	—	7	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	.	6	21
	Sept. 6	2	.	.	.	—	5	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	17	28
	Sept. 13	4	.	.	.	—	7	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	1	.	8	28
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Aug. 23	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Aug. 30	2	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
Pembroke Urban District	Aug. 23	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	2
	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	2
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Aug. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 6	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Aug. 23	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.	.
City of Cork	Aug. 23	1	.	.	.	.	1	—	2	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	4	—	12
	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	4
	Sept. 6	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	5
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	6	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	10
City of Limerick	Aug. 23	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
City of Waterford	Aug. 23	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 13th Sept., 1924, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES		No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 13th September			
		Aug. 23	Aug. 30	Sept. 6	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	.. ..	14	15	18	3	2	.	19
Typhus,	.. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	.. ..	6	4	3	.	1	.	2
Scarlet Fever, ..	.. ..	64	62	53	12	13	.	52*
Diphtheria,	.. ..	20	18	17	4	4	2	15
Pneumonia,	.. ..	17	15	13	6	7	.	12

* Exclusive of 15 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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Twelve Town Districts, 13·4 and 11·8; Dublin Registration Area, 13·5 and 12·4; Dublin City, 13·3 and 12·6; Cork, 15·0 and 11·4; Limerick, 9·5 and 9·2; and Waterford, 17·1 and 12·8.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 Town Districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·8 per 1,000. Among the 22 deaths from all causes for Cork were 2 from whooping-cough, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. One of the 3 deaths from all causes for Sligo was from whooping-cough, and one of the 2 deaths from all causes for Tralee was from enteric fever.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 236—132 boys and 104 girls—and the deaths to 127—63 males and 64 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 13·5 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-eight weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 16·3 and was 3·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-eight weeks was 17·9, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 20·9.

Included in the 113 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from diphtheria and 17 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age were 7, 11 and 16. There were no deaths from diphtheria in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 11 deaths (10 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and one from abdominal tuberculosis), as against 16, 9 and 12 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, and 14 by diseases of the heart.

There were 7 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 4 from broncho-pneumonia and 3 from lobar pneumonia. Bronchitis caused 4 deaths.

One accidental death (that of a child aged one year and 3 months) due to burns was registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to congenital lues, one to meningitis, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, one to lobar pneumonia, 14 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Thirty-nine of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 31 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 25 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 19 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 113 deaths recorded, 53 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 20th September, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 8·8) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 9·1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 11·7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 10·7, and for Edinburgh 13·2.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 20th September, 1924, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES or URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (*exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts*) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

POPULATION		BIRTHS.		BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		BIRTHS		CAUSED BY														METEOROLOGY *																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																															
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* Hours of bright sunshine during the week :—27.2 at Phoenix Park; 20.9 at Trinity College; 25 (approximately) at Botanic Gardens; and 17.5 at Markree.

DEATHS,

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Aug. 30	3	.	.	.	—	7	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	6	21
	Sept. 6	2	.	.	.	—	5	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	17	28
	Sept. 13	4	.	.	.	—	7	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	1	.	8	28
	Sept. 20	2	.	.	.	—	8	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	18	38
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Aug. 30	2	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 6	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	4
	Sept. 6	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	5
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	6	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	10
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	14	1	.	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	2	—	22
City of Limerick	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
City of Waterford	Aug. 30	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 20th Sept., 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 20th September			
	Aug. 30	Sept. 6	Sept. 13	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	15	18	19	1	3	.	17
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	4	3	2	.	.	.	2
Scarlet Fever,	62	53	52	14	12	.	54*
Diphtheria,	18	17	15	6	7	.	14
Pneumonia,	15	13	12	3	1	1	13

* Exclusive of 22 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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Twelve Town Districts, 12·2 and 11·7; Dublin Registration Area, 13·2 and 12·4; Dublin City, 13·5 and 12·6; Cork, 9·5 and 10·7; Limerick, 8·1 and 7·8; and Waterford, 13·3 and 12·8.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 Town Districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·5 per 1,000. Three of the 5 deaths from all causes for Sligo were from whooping-cough, and the 2 deaths recorded for Tralee comprised one from enteric fever and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 197—93 boys and 104 girls—and the deaths to 125—67 males and 58 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 15) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 13·2 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-nine weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 16·2 and was 3·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-nine weeks was 17·9, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 20·9.

Included in the 110 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from scarlet fever and 12 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age were 11, 16 and 17. There were no deaths from scarlet fever in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (12 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 9, 12 and 11 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, and 15 by diseases of the heart.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 9 deaths.

Two accidental deaths were registered, one being caused by a train.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to tuberculous meningitis, 2 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 11 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation and 6 to congenital debility.

Thirty-four of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 30 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 23 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 17 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 110 deaths recorded, 59 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 27th September, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 8·8) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 9·3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 12·8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·8, and for Edinburgh 12·7.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 27th September, 1924, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES or URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		BIRTHS		DEATHS.																		METEOROLOGY *											
COLS.	Total (a)	Per-sons to an Acre.	From all Causes.		From principal Epidemic Diseases. (b)		TOTAL NUMBER.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza	Tuber-culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 5 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Air Temperature.			Rainfall in Inches.				
			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)													(5)	(6)		(7)	(8)									(9)	(10)	(11)		(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)
URBAN AREAS,	670,256	19.2	23.9	12.2	1.5	307	157	41	32	1	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	18	5	9	7	12	14	.	2	4	70	6	.	0	0	0	.	.	Mean of (A) and (B).	
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	435,000	31.1	22.5	13.2	1.6	188	110	30	23	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	12	4	7	6	11	12	.	2	2	59	.	(c) 63.0	37.1	42.9	30.0	1.03			
DUBLIN CITY	333,000	40.8	22.7	13.5	1.9	145	86	26	16	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	11	4	6	6	7	11	.	1	1	46	.	(d) 58.2	42.9	55.9	45.5	50.7	1.05		
RATHMINES & RATHGAR URBAN DISTRICT	42,300	24.7	27.1	7.4	.	22	6	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	2	.	.	1	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
PEMBROKE	31,700	20.2	18.1	18.1	.	11	11	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKROCK	10,100	9.3	20.7	10.3	.	4	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,900	12.2	17.5	14.6	2.9	6	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	60	44	55.7	46.0	50.9	1.82		
CORK CITY	76,673	28.6	20.4	9.5	.	30	14	22	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK	38,518	16.1	14.9	8.1	.	11	6	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD CITY	27,464	19.1	22.8	13.3	.	12	7	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	13,255	2.5	17.4	13.3	.	17	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUNDALK	13,128	9.5	8.8	8.5	.	8	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA	12,501	8.4	8.4	8.4	.	8	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD	11,531	22.8	22.8	22.8	.	7	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO	11,163	2.8	11.4	2.8	.	6	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
KILKENNY	10,514	11.4	11.4	11.4	.	6	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TRALEE	10,300	17.4	17.4	17.4	.	6	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CLONMEL	10,209	4.8	7	4.8	.	7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	434,000	29.1	22.9	9.9	1.0	191	82	15	18	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	9	1	6	4	7	4	.	1	4	23	.	61.0	38.5	58.8	45.9	52.4	1.31		
LONDONDERRY CITY	47,000	18.2	21.1	17.8	4.4	19	16	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,564,109	—	17.3	8.8	—	1,516	770	86	263	.	.	.	.	1	8	11	.	2	68	16	131	34	43	22	1	33	89	405	.	66	43	61.0	49.4	55.2	1.16			
EDINBURGH	427,500	—	—	12.7	1.5	210	104	14	41	.	.	.	4	2	3	1	.	.	—	—	—	10	—	2	.	6	—	—	—	57.0	40.0	54.1	43.0	48.6	0.52				
GLASGOW	1,051,000	—	—	12.8	0.9	534	257	39	69	4	6	1	.	1	—	—	—	37	—	8	.	12	—	—	—	57.0	37.0	53.9	41.5	47.7	0.70				

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1923. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree.

* Hours of height sunshine during the week: — 29.9 at Phoenix Park; 31.2 at Trinity College; 24 (approximately) at Botanic Gardens; and 32.7 at Markree.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 27th Sept., 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis, Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Sept. 6	2	.	.	.	—	5	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	17	28
	Sept. 13	4	.	.	.	—	7	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	1	.	8	28
	Sept. 20	2	.	.	.	—	8	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	18	38
	Sept. 27	1	.	.	.	—	9	—	4	2	.	—	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	13	32
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	2
Blackrock Urban District	Sept. 6	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	1
City of Cork	Sept. 6	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	5
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	6	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	10
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	14	1	.	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	2	—	22
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	1	—	9
City of Limerick	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	.
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	.
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	2
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	1
City of Waterford	Sept. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.	1

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospital during the week ended **Saturday, 27th Sept., 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 27th September			
	Sept. 6	Sept. 13	Sept. 20	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	18	19	17	2	1	.	18
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	3	2	2	.	.	.	2
Scarlet Fever,	53	52	54	17	7	1	63*
Diphtheria,	17	15	14	3	2	.	15
Pneumonia,	13	12	13	4	6	2	9

* Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 Town Districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·5 per 1,000. Two of the 9 deaths from all causes for Limerick and 2 of the 7 deaths from all causes for Waterford were from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. One of the 3 deaths from all causes for Clonmel was from enteric fever.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 219—113 boys and 106 girls—and the deaths to 121—60 males and 61 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 10) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 13·3 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 16·1 and was 3·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty weeks was 17·8, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 20·8.

Included in the 111 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from scarlet fever, one from diphtheria and 11 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were 0, 0 and one, deaths from diphtheria were 0, one and 0 and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age were 16, 17 and 12.

Tuberculous disease caused 15 deaths (13 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 12, 11 and 16 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Thirteen deaths were caused by cancer, and 15 by diseases of the heart.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 5 deaths.

Three accidental deaths were registered, one (that of a child aged 3 years) being due to burns, one to drowning and one to a motor vehicle.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to convulsions, 2 were due to broncho-pneumonia, 11 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to premature birth, 5 to congenital debility, and one to accidental drowning.

Twenty-five of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 22 being infants under one year, of whom 3 were under one month old, and 38 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 22 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 111 deaths recorded, 47 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 4th October, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 9·5) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 9·6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 11·4 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11·8, and for Edinburgh 12·8.

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URBAN AREAS,	POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS		DEATHS.																METEOROLOGY.*													
	Total (a)	Per-sons to an Acre.	BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		TOTAL NUMBER.	Caused by																Air Temperature.												
			(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)		(7)	(8)	(9)	At 65 years and upwards.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza	Tuber-culosis.		Cancer.	Other.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 15 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.						
																				Pulmonary.	Other Forms.		Pneumonia.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.												
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)	
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS	670,256	19.2	26.8	13.7	1.5	345	176	35	55	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	21	2	23	9	10	16	.	3	3	66	5	0	0	.	0	0	Mean of (A) and (B).	
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	435,000	31.1	24.9	13.3	1.6	208	111	22	38	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	13	2	13	6	6	11	.	3	3	47	1	(c) 58.833	0.56	4.40	0.48	2.0	7.7
DUBLIN CITY	333,000	40.8	26.3	14.4	1.9	168	92	21	28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	12	1	11	4	5	11	.	2	3	39	1	{(d) 58.039	1.56	0.44	0.50	3.0	6.5
RATHMINES & RATHGAR URBAN DISTRICT	42,300	24.7	9.9	8.6	.	8	7	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
PEMBROKE	31,700	20.2	29.6	11.5	1.6	18	7	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKROCK	10,100	9.3	25.8	.	.	5	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,900	12.2	26.2	14.6	.	9	5	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	39	56.245	7.51	0.2	3.0	.
CORK CITY	76,673	28.6	43.5	17.0	.	64	25	1	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	4	3	1	.	.	.	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK	38,618	16.1	28.4	12.2	2.7	21	9	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	2	2	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD CITY	27,464	19.1	30.4	13.3	3.8	16	7	3	3	1	2
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	13,255	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	1	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUNDALK	13,128	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	7	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA	12,601	8.4	8.4	8.4	8.4	3	3	1	1	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
WEXFORD	11,631	22.8	22.8	22.8	22.8	3	3	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
SLIGO	11,163	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	7	5	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
KILKENNY	10,514	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	2	4	1	2	1	2	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
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LONDONDERRY CITY	47,000	18.2	17.8	12.2	1.1	16	11	3	5	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
LONDON	4,564,109	—	19.9	9.5	—	1,741	834	93	305	2	7	18	.	.	2	52	10	129	40	36	28	4	35	76	431	66	39	61.1	45.4	53.3	0.7	9
EDINBURGH	427,500	—	—	12.8	1.3	155	105	14	42	.	.	.	2	4	3	1	.	.	1	—	—	—	10	46	1	.	4	—	—	59.0	41.0	56.4	46.7	51.6	0.2	24
GLASGOW	1,051,000	—	—	11.8	0.9	449	238	39	64	3	5	1	.	.	4	—	—	—	46	9	.	.	9	—	—	57.0	39.2	55.2	47.0	51.1	1.2	0

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1923. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

* **Hours of bright sunshine during the week:**—15·4 at Phoenix Park; 5·4 at Trinity College; 9 (approximately) at Botanic Gardens; and 27·3 at Markree.

Hours of bright sunshine during the week.

Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS, DISTRICTS, &c.		ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY																IN INSTITUTIONS.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.															
		ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES†	TOTAL DEATHS.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.		Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Res- piratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
																								Pulmonary.	Other Forms.		Pneumonia.	Other.									

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)		
Urban Districts.	North City, No. 1, E.	..	32,200	16.2	1.6	10	1	1	2	1	1	2	4	1	2	..	1	1	1	1	4	1	8	3	1	
" " " 1, W.	..	44,100	18.9	3.5	16	5	1	1	1	1	4	4	3	1	1	1	12	1	1	1	1		
" " " 2	..	29,500	17.7	1.8	10	2	1	4	3	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1		
" " " 3	..	36,600	15.7	1.4	11	2	5	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	6	1	1	1	1		
OLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	..	5,900	8.8	..	1	1	1		
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	..	14,600	10.7	7.1	3	2		
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	..	11,900	17.5	4.4	4	1	2	1	1	..	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1		
SOUTH CITY, No. 1	..	46,100	7.9	..	7	2	1	1	2	3	1	1	1	1	3	5	1	4	5	2		
" " 2	..	19,500	8.0	..	3	1	3	1	4	1	3	1	1	1	1	6	1	1	2	
" " 3	..	46,400	15.7	3.4	14	5	1	1	1	5	2	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	5	2	..	
" " 4	..	35,100	14.9	..	10	1	1	1	5	2	1	1	2	2	1	1	2	
NEW KILMAINHAM		..	11,100	14.1	..	3	1	2	1
Urban Districts.	RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	..	42,300	8.6	..	7	1	1	5	1	1	1	1	2	5	1	1	2
PENBROOK	..	31,700	11.5	1.6	7	..	1	1	..	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	3	1	..	
BLACKROCK	..	10,100	5	2	
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	..	17,900	14.6	..	5	1	2	
Total City of Dublin	..	333,000	14.4	1.9	92	21	2	2	2	5	15	19	28	1	12	1	11	11	4	5	11	..	2	45	3	31	8	1	1	
Total Urban Districts		..	102,000	9.7	0.5	19	1	1	1	2	4	10	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	10	..	7	1	
Total Dublin Registration Area		..	435,000	13.3	1.6	111	22	3	3	5	17	23	38	1	13	2	13	13	6	6	11	..	3	55	3	38	9	1	1	
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the Registration Area (not included in above)					10	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	4	1	4	..	8	2	
CITY OF CORK.																																					
Cork City Districts	CORK URBAN, No. 1	..	13,455	23.3	..	6	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	5	1	1	2
" " 2	..	10,399	15.0	..	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	..	
" " 3	..	9,793	10.6	..	2	2	
" " 4	..	8,139	5.7	..	1	
" " 5	..	6,250	16.7	..	2	2	1	
" " 6	..	11,581	22.5	..	5	4	1	2	1	1
" " 7	..	16,056	19.5	..	6	1	2	3	2	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	
Total City of Cork		..	76,673	17.0	..	25	1	..	1	5	11	7	4	..	4	3	1	13	..	5	1	1	1	1

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.
† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 4th October, 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Ophthalmia Neonatorum.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total
City of Dublin	Sept. 13	4	.	.	.	—	7	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	1	.	8	28
	Sept. 20	2	.	.	.	—	8	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	18	38
	Sept. 27	1	.	.	.	—	9	—	4	2	.	—	12	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	13	32
	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	4	3	.	—	.	.	.	4	1	.	1	.	7	28
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
Pembroke Urban District	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	1	2
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	—	.	1
Blackrock Urban District	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	6	1	.	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	10
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	14	1	.	4	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	2	—	22
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	6	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	9
	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	8
City of Limerick	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Sept. 13	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 4th October, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 4th October			
	Sept. 13	Sept. 20	Sept. 27	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	19	17	18	2	6	.	14
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	2	2	2	7	2	.	7
Scarlet Fever,	52	54	63	18	17	.	59*
Diphtheria,	15	14	15	4	5	.	14
Pneumonia,	12	13	9	6	3	.	12

* Exclusive of 13 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 12·1 and 12·9; Dublin Registration Area, 11·9 and 13·0; Dublin City, 12·4 and 13·4; Cork, 7·5 and 12·3; Limerick, 14·9 and 11·2; and Waterford, 22·8 and 16·6.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 Town Districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·5 per 1,000.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 232—124 boys and 108 girls—and the deaths to 105—58 males and 47 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 6) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 11·9 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-one weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 16·0 and was 3·2 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-one weeks was 17·7, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 20·7.

Included in the 99 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever, and 5 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age were 17, 12 and 11. There were no deaths from enteric fever in the three preceding weeks.

Two deaths from encephalitis lethargica were registered.

Tuberculous disease caused 10 deaths (9 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and one from tuberculosis of the spine), as against 11, 16 and 15 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

One death was caused by cancer, and 13 by diseases of the heart.

There were 7 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 14 deaths.

One accidental death was registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to congenital lues, one to meningitis, 3 were due to bronchitis, one to pneumonia, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, 5 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 5 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation and 4 to congenital debility.

Thirty-three of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 25 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 26 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 18 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 99 deaths recorded, 39 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 11th October, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 9·9) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 9·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 12·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·6, and for Edinburgh 11·3.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended, Saturday, 11th October, 1924, the number of Deaths of Residents in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the City of CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY														IN INSTITU- TIONS.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.																
		FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES†	CAUSED BY														In Hospitals, Prisons, and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.																	
				CAUSED BY																																
				Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.		Influenza.	Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.				(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)			
Urban Districts.	NORTH CITY, No. 1, E.				32,200	9.7	3.2	6	15	7	4	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" 1 W.				44,100	17.7	1.2	15	7	4	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" 2				29,500	12.4	1.4	9	6	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" 3				36,600	8.5	1.4	6	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" 5,900				5,900	17.9	1.4	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of				14,600	17.9	1.4	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of				11,900	10.2	1.1	9	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of				46,100	10.7	1.1	12	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	SOUTH CITY, No. 1				19,500	13.5	1.1	12	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" 2				46,400	20.8	1.5	14	5	1	2	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Urban Districts.	NEW KILMAINHAM				11,100	4.7	1.5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" 11.1				42,300	11.1	1.1	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" 13.2				31,700	13.2	1.1	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" 5.2				10,100	5.2	1.1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" 5.8				17,900	5.8	1.1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	Total City of Dublin				333,000	12.4	0.9	79	23	8	16	18	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	Total Urban Districts				102,000	10.2	1.1	20	2	2	6	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	Total Dublin Registration Area				435,000	11.9	0.7	99	25	10	22	26	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the Registration Area (not included in above)							6		3	2	1																								
	CITY OF CORK.																																			
Cork City Districts	CORK URBAN, No. 1				13,455	7.8	1.1	2		1	1																									
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Total City of Cork				76,673	7.5	1.1	11		3	3	3																									

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† See note (†) at foot of first page.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Ophthalmia Neonatorum.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Sept. 20	2	.	.	.	—	8	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	18	38
	Sept. 27	1	.	.	.	—	9	—	4	2	.	—	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	13	32
	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	4	3	.	—	.	.	.	4	1	.	1	.	7	28
	Oct. 11	3	.	.	.	—	5	—	7	.	1	—	1	.	.	8	.	.	.	.	12	37
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Oct. 11	1	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
Pembroke Urban District	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	1	2
	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 11	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	14	1	.	4	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	2	—	22
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	6	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	9
	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	8
	Oct. 11	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	4	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	6
City of Limerick	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Oct. 11	1	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
City of Waterford	Sept. 20	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Oct. 11	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospital during the week ended **Saturday, 11th October, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 11th October			
	Sept. 20	Sept. 27	Oct. 4	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	17	18	14	2	2	1	13
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	2	2	7	2	.	.	9
Scarlet Fever,	54	63	59	10	9	.	60*
Diphtheria,	14	15	14	12	4	.	22
Pneumonia,	13	9	12	9	1	.	20

* Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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Twelve Town Districts, 14·3 and 13·1; Dublin Registration Area, 14·9 and 13·4; Dublin City, 15·8 and 14·0; Cork, 12·9 and 11·7; Limerick, 14·9 and 12·5; and Waterford, 9·5 and 14·7.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 Town Districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·2 per 1,000. One of the 2 deaths from all causes for Sligo was from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 251—123 boys and 128 girls—and the deaths to 142—77 males and 65 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 18) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 14·9 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-two weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 16·0 and was 3·2 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-two weeks was 17·6, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 20·7.

Included in the 124 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from diphtheria, and 13 from diarrhoeal diseases. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were 0, one and 0, and deaths from diarrhoeal diseases were 12, 11 and 5.

One death from encephalitis lethargica was registered.

Tuberculous disease caused 14 deaths (10 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 16, 15 and 10 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, and 12 by diseases of the heart.

There were 12 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar-pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 14 deaths.

One accidental death was registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to tuberculosis, 3 were due to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, 11 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, and 7 to congenital debility.

Thirty-eight of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 32 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 25 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 18 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 124 deaths recorded, 55 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 18th October, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 9·5) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 9·7 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 12·8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 13·1, and for Edinburgh 13·8.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 18th October, 1924, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 Cities or URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

URBAN AREAS,	POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS		DEATHS.														Caused by										METEOROLOGY *																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																														
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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1923. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended Saturday, 18th October, 1924, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Ophthalmia Neonatorum.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Sept. 27	1	.	.	.	—	9	—	4	2	.	—	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	13	32
	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	4	3	.	—	.	.	.	4	1	.	1	.	7	28
	Oct. 11	3	.	.	.	—	5	—	7	.	1	—	1	.	.	8	.	.	.	.	12	37
	Oct. 18	2	.	.	.	—	13	—	8	6	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	6	41
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Oct. 11	1	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	1	—	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	—	—	3
Pembroke Urban District	Sept. 27	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	1	2
	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Blackrock Urban District	Sept. 27	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 4	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 11	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 18	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Sept. 27	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 4	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
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	Oct. 18	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Sept. 27	—	2	.	.	6	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	9
	Oct. 4	—	5	.	.	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	8
	Oct. 11	1	—	4	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	6
	Oct. 18	—	4	3	—	.	—	.	.	2	—	9
City of Limerick	Sept. 27	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Oct. 4	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Oct. 11	1	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Oct. 18	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Sept. 27	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Oct. 4	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Oct. 11	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	3
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DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 18th October			
	Sept. 27	Oct. 4	Oct. 11	No. admitted.	Dis-charged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	18	14	13	1	1	1	12
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	2	7	9	9	4	.	14
Scarlet Fever,	63	59	60	17	7	.	70*
Diphtheria,	15	14	22	6	3	1	24
Pneumonia,	9	12	20	10	1	1	28

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The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 Town Districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·6 per 1,000. One of the 3 deaths from all causes for Drogheda was from whooping-cough, and 3 of the 5 deaths from all causes for Tralee were from enteric fever.

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In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 220—107 boys and 113 girls—and the deaths to 138—68 males and 70 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 7) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 15·7 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-three weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 16·0 and was 3·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-three weeks was 17·6, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 20·6.

Included in the 131 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, one from influenza and 11 from diarrhoeal diseases. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were one, 0 and 0, deaths from diphtheria were one, 0 and one, and deaths from diarrhoeal diseases were 11, 5 and 13. There were no deaths from whooping-cough or influenza in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 5 deaths (4 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and one from tuberculous meningitis) as against 15, 10 and 14 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Seventeen deaths were caused by cancer, and 16 by diseases of the heart.

There were 10 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, 4 from lobar-pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 8 deaths.

One accidental death, (that of a child aged 3 years) due to scalds, was registered. There was also one death by suicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to scarlet fever, 2 were due to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, 10 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Thirty-nine of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 28 being infants under one year, of whom 13 were under one month old, and 37 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 28 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 131 deaths recorded, 47 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 25th October, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 9·5) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 9·7 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 13·2 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11·9, and for Edinburgh 15·9.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

(a) See Note (g) at foot of Table I.

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* **Hours of bright sunshine during the week :—**21.1 at Phoenix Park ; 17.7 at Trinity College ; 23.6 at Botanic Gardens ; 14 at Botanic Gardens ; 23.6 at Dún Laoghaire and 12.5 at Markree.

DEATHS,

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 25th October, 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Ophthalmia Neonatorum.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Oct. 4	4	.	.	.	—	8	—	4	3	.	—	.	.	.	4	1	.	1	.	7	28
	Oct. 11	3	.	.	.	—	5	—	7	.	1	—	1	.	.	8	.	.	.	.	12	37
	Oct. 18	2	.	.	.	—	13	—	8	6	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	6	41
	Oct. 25	4	.	.	.	—	12	—	5	1	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	3	32
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Oct. 4	4	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Oct. 11	1	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	1	—	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 11	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	5	.	.	2	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	8
	Oct. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	6
	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	2	—	9
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	4
City of Limerick	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Oct. 11	1	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
City of Waterford	Oct. 4	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Oct. 11	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	3
	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	2
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	6

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 25th October, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 25th October			
	Oct. 4	Oct. 11	Oct. 18	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	14	13	12	3	3	.	12
Typhus,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	7	9	14	11	5	.	20
Scarlet Fever,...	59	60	70	14	12	1	71*
Diphtheria,	14	22	24	11	2	2	31
Pneumonia,	12	20	28	9	5	.	32

* Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, (a) 13·9 and 13·8; Dublin Registration Area, 15·1 and 14·4; Dublin City, 15·5 and 14·9; Cork, 17·7 and 12·8; Limerick, 13·5 and 15·6; and Waterford, 3·8 and 10·9.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 Town Districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·9 per 1,000. Among the 26 deaths from all causes for Cork were one from diphtheria and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. One of the 5 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny was from whooping-cough, and one of the 3 deaths from all causes for Tralee was from enteric fever.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 190—92 boys and 98 girls—and the deaths to 135—63 males and 72 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 9) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 15·1 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-four weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 16·0 and was 3·2 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-four weeks was 17·6, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 20·7.

Included in the 126 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from scarlet fever, one from diphtheria, one from influenza and 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were 0, 0 and one, deaths from diphtheria were 0, one and 2, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 5, 12 and 10.

Tuberculous disease caused 14 deaths (10 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 10, 14 and 5 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Twelve deaths were caused by cancer, and 13 by diseases of the heart.

There were 14 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 13 from broncho-pneumonia, and one from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 9 deaths.

Three accidental deaths, one of which was due to drowning, were registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to meningitis, 6 were due to broncho-pneumonia, 4 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, 2 to congenital malformation, and 2 to congenital debility.

Twenty-eight of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 20 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 34 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 22 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 126 deaths recorded, 56 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 1st November, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 10·2) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 11·2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 12·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11·6, and for Edinburgh 11·9.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

(a) See Note (g) at foot of Table I.

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URBAN AREAS,	POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS		DEATHS.														METEOROLOGY *																		
	Total (a)	Per-sons to an Acre.	BIRTHS.		From all Causes.		From principal Epidemic Diseases. (b)		TOTAL NUMBR.	Caused by										Air Temperature.				Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.										
			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)		(7)	(8)	(9)	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber-culosis.								Cancer.	Pneumonia.		Diseases of the Respiratory System.	Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
																						(10)	(11)								(12)	(13)							
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)				
TOTAL OF 12 TOWN DISTRICTS	670,256	19.2	22.1	13.9	0.9	284	179	26	45	1	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	1	14	8	16	16	17	7	.	5	78	8	.	0	0	0	0	.	.				
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	435,000	31.1	21.1	15.1	0.7	176	126	20	34	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	10	4	12	14	14	4	.	3	56	3	(c) 60.234	155.043	49.21	24	.	.		
DUBLIN CITY	333,000	40.8	21.3	15.5	0.6	136	99	17	23	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	9	4	10	12	11	2	.	2	45	3	{(d) 60.240	455.346	85.11	02	.	.		
RATHMINES & RATHGAR URBAN DISTRICT	42,300	24.7	21.0	12.3	.	17	10	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
PEMBROKE	31,700	20.2	21.4	13.2	.	13	8	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKROCK	10,100	9.3	10.3	5.2	.	2	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,900	12.2	23.3	23.3	5.8	8	8	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	58	40	55.246	0.50	61.02	.	.
CORK CITY	76,673	28.6	25.8	17.7	1.4	38	26	2	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	4	2	1	2	2	1	.	1	15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK	38,518	16.1	16.2	13.5	.	12	10	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD	27,464	19.1	49.4	3.8	1.9	26	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY URBAN DIST.	13,255	2.5	9.5	8.8	1.9	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUNDALE (g)	13,128	9.5	12.8	8.4	1.9	8	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA	12,601	8.4	12.8	8.4	1.9	6	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD	11,531	22.8	22.8	11.4	1.9	4	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO	11,163	2.8	11.4	11.4	1.9	1	5	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	58	38	55.443	7.49	61.16	.	.
KILKENNY	10,514	11.4	17.4	17.4	1.9	3	3	1	.	1	2	1		
TRALEE	10,300	17.4	17.4	17.4	1.9	2	1	1		
CLONMEL	10,209	4.8	4.8	4.8	1.9	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST CITY	434,000	29.1	19.8	11.1	0.7	165	92	11	27	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	9	4	6	6	10	6	5	1	27	2	58.0	35.554	143.148	60.60	.	.		
LONDONDERRY CITY	47,000	18.2	26.6	15.5	1.1	24	14	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON	4,564,109	—	17.7	10.2	—	1,548	897	115	324	1	.	.	.	2	11	9	.	8	71	16	109	66	59	28	4	38	78	478	2	63	40	58.447	9.53	21.39	.	.			
EDINBURGH	427,500	—	—	11.9	0.6	153	97	10	40	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	.	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
GLASGOW	1,051,000	—	—	11.6	0.8	427	233	38	69	2	6	3	.	2	—	—	—	—	—	42	6	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1923. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree. (g) The return for Dundalk has not been received. (h) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE II — Showing for the week ended, Saturday, 1st November, 1924, the number of Deaths of Persons in the several Registrars' Districts in which the Mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 1st November, 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Ophthalmia Neonatorum.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Oct. 11	3	.	.	.	—	5	—	7	.	1	—	1	.	.	8	.	.	.	.	12	37
	Oct. 18	2	.	.	.	—	13	—	8	6	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	6	41
	Oct. 25	4	.	.	.	—	12	—	5	1	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	3	32
	Nov. 1	3	.	.	.	—	9	—	6	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	21	43
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Oct. 11	1	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	1	—	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	—	—	3
Pembroke Urban District	Oct. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Blackrock Urban District	Oct. 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Oct. 11	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Oct. 11	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	4	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	2	—	6
	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	9
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	4
	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	.	3	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	3	—	11
City of Limerick	Oct. 11	1	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Nov. 1	2	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
City of Waterford	Oct. 11	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	3
	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	2
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	6
	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	3

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 1st November, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 1st November			
	Oct. 11	Oct. 18	Oct. 25	No. admitted.	Dis-charged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	13	12	12	3	4	.	11
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, — .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	9	14	20	5	8	.	17
Scarlet Fever,.. ..	60	70	71	13	10	1	73*
Diphtheria,	22	24	31	7	4	1	33
Pneumonia,	20	28	32	5	11	.	26

* Exclusive of 19 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 Town Districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·1 per 1,000. Two of the 6 deaths from all causes for Waterford were from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. Among the 2 deaths from all causes for Dundalk was one from enteric fever, and among the 5 deaths from all causes for Drogheda were one from whooping-cough, and one from diphtheria, while one of the 4 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny was from scarlet fever.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 216—112 boys and 104 girls—and the deaths to 141—85 males and 56 females.

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Tuberculous disease caused 8 deaths (5 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 14, 5 and 14 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, and 13 by diseases of the heart.

There were 22 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 19 from broncho-pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 11 deaths.

One accidental death, due to gunshot wounds, was registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to convulsions, 5 were due to bronchitis, 10 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 6 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation, and 9 to congenital debility.

Forty-seven of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 37 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 29 deaths were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 25 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 122 deaths recorded, 48 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1923. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

* Hours of bright sunshine during the week :—15·9 at Phoenix Park ; 10·2 at Trinity College ; 15·4 at Botanic Gardens ; 15·4 at Dún Laoghaire and 10·4 at Marree.

Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

DEATHS.

CAUSED BY

MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.				CAUSED BY														IN INSTITUTIONS.																			
ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	FROM ALL CAUSES		FROM PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES†	CAUSED BY														In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.																	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.				Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Res- piratory System.		Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.				
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)			
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																					
Urban Districts.	NORTH CITY, No. 1, E.		32,200	8.1	3.5	5	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" 1 W.		44,100	16.6	21.2	12	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" 2		29,500	21.2	7	14	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" 3		36,600	10.0	7	12	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of		5,900	8.8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of		14,600	3.6	4.4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of		11,900	4.4	2.7	14	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	SOUTH CITY, No. 1		46,100	15.8	2.7	14	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" 2		19,500	29.4	1.5	14	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" 3		46,400	15.7	1.5	14	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
" 4		35,100	11.9	4.7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
NEW KILMAINHAM		11,100	4.7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
Urban Districts.	RATHMINES AND RATHGAR		42,300	14.8	3.3	12	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	PEMBROKE		31,700	18.1	3.3	11	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	BLACKROCK		10,100	15.5	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	DUN LAOGHAIRE		17,900	20.4	7	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
Total City of Dublin		333,000	13.9	0.9	89	32	6	2	1	4	9	17	18	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
Total Urban Districts		102,000	16.9	1.0	33	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
Total Dublin Registration Area		435,000	14.6	1.0	122	37	7	3	5	10	28	29	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the Registration Area (not included in above)																																					
CITY OF CORK.																																					
Cork City Districts	CORK URBAN, No. 1		13,455	7.8	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" 2		10,399	15.0	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" 3		9,793	5.3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" 4		9,139	17.1	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" 5		6,250	8.3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" 6		11,581	13.0	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
" 7		16,056	9.5	14	14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
Total City of Cork		76,673	9.5	14	14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended Saturday, 8th November, 1924, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Ophthalmia Neonatorum.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Oct. 18	2	.	.	.	—	13	—	3	6	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	6	41
	Oct. 25	4	.	.	.	—	12	—	5	1	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	3	32
	Nov. 1	3	.	.	.	—	9	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	21	43
	Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	7	20
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	1	—	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	2	—	9
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	4
	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	.	3	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	3	—	11
	Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	8
City of Limerick	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Nov. 1	2	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
City of Waterford	Oct. 18	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	2
	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	6
	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	3
	Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 8th November, 1924, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES		No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 8th November			
		Oct. 18	Oct. 25	Nov. 1	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	.. ..	12	12	11	1	5	.	7
Typhus,	.. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	— ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	.. ..	14	20	17	2	10	.	9
Scarlet Fever,..	.. ..	70	71	73	16	21	.	68*
Diphtheria,	.. ..	24	31	33	9	9	1	32
Pneumonia,	.. ..	28	32	26	4	5	1	24

* Exclusive of 22 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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Included in the 122 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from scarlet fever, one from influenza, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were one, one and 0, deaths from influenza were one, one and 0, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 10, 4 and 6.

Tuberculous disease caused 10 deaths (8 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 5, 14 and 8 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, and 15 by diseases of the heart.

There were 14 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, and 8 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 17 deaths.

Three accidental deaths were registered, one (that of a child aged 2 years) being due to scalds, and there was one death by suicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to convulsions, 5 were due to bronchitis, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, one to enteritis, 3 to premature birth, 2 to congenital malformation, and 4 to congenital debility.

Thirty of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 22 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 37 deaths were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 25 were 70 years of age or over.

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DEATHS.

Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS, DISTRICTS, &c.			ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY																	IN INSTITUTIONS.		Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																	
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* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 15th November, 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Ophthalmia Neonatorum.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total
City of Dublin	Oct. 25	4	.	.	.	—	12	—	5	1	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	3	32
	Nov. 1	3	.	.	.	—	9	—	6	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	21	43
	Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	7	20
	Nov. 15	5	.	.	.	—	17	—	3	3	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	.	.	15	51
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Nov. 8	1	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Nov. 15	1	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
Pembroke Urban District	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Nov. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Oct. 25	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 8	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 15	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Oct. 25	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
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	Nov. 8	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 15	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Oct. 25	2	—	1	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	4
	Nov. 1	3	—	5	—	.	—	.	.	3	—	11
	Nov. 8	—	7	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	8
	Nov. 15	1	—	4	1	—	.	—	.	.	2	—	8
City of Limerick	Oct. 25	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Nov. 1	2	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Nov. 15	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
City of Waterford	Oct. 25	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	6
	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	3
	Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Nov. 15	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	3

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospital during the week ended **Saturday, 15th November, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 15th November			
	Oct. 25	Nov. 1	Nov. 8	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week
Enteric Fever,	12	11	7	4	.	.	11
Typhus,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	20	17	9	1	7	.	3
Scarlet Fever,	71	73	68	15	5	1	77*
Diphtheria,	31	33	32	5	6	.	31
Pneumonia,	32	26	24	8	6	1	25

* Exclusive of 17 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 14·7 and 14·0; Dublin Registration Area, 14·3 and 14·7; Dublin City, 14·4 and 14·7; Cork, 13·6 and 13·6; Limerick, 21·7 and 14·9; and Waterford, 13·3 and 9·5.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 Town Districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·9 per 1,000. One of the 4 deaths from all causes for Dundalk was from enteric fever, and one of the 3 deaths from all causes for Wexford and one of the 5 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny were from diphtheria.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 221—111 boys and 110 girls—and the deaths to 131—55 males and 76 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 12) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 14·3 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-seven weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 15·9 and was 3·3 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-seven weeks was 17·5, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 20·7.

Included in the 119 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever, 2 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria and 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were one, one and 0, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 4, 6 and 2. There were no deaths from enteric fever or from whooping-cough in the three preceding weeks.

Tuberculous disease caused 14 deaths (12 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 14, 8 and 10 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Three deaths were caused by cancer, and 14 by diseases of the heart.

There were 14 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 9 from broncho-pneumonia, and 5 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 13 deaths.

Three accidental deaths were registered, one of which was due to drowning and one to crushing by a motor vehicle.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to whooping-cough, one to diphtheria, one to meningitis, 3 to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 5 to broncho-pneumonia, 3 to pneumonia, 4 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, 2 to congenital malformation and 2 to congenital debility.

Forty of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 31 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 24 deaths were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 19 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 119 deaths recorded, 45 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 22nd November, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 11·4) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 12·1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 16·9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 16·9, and for Edinburgh 18·0.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

DEATHS

REGISTRARS, DISTRICTS, &c.			RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY												In Institutions.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.																			
			ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES†	CAUSED BY												In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.		In Workhouse Hospitals.																		
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						Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.				Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Diseases of Res- piratory System.	Other.	Diarrhea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.			
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	" " 3		36,600	11.4	8	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	OLCUTT AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of		5,900	26.5	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	OOLOOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of		14,600	25.0	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of		11,900	4.4	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	SOUTH CITY, No. 1		46,100	12.4	11	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" 2		19,500	16.0	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" 3		46,400	18.0	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
" 4		35,100	8.9	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
NEW KILMAINHAM		11,100	8.9	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
Urban Districts.	RATHMINES AND RATHGAR		42,300	12.3	10	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	PEMBROKE		31,700	11.5	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	BLACKBROOK		10,100	25.8	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	DUN LAOGHAIRE		17,900	14.6	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
Total City of Dublin		333,000	14.4	92	28	6	2	3	9	9	21	14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9	1	2	13	10	4	1	1	49	1	28	10	1				
Total Urban Districts		102,000	13.8	27	3	1	1	1	2	3	8	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	13	2	7	1	1				
Total Dublin Registration Area		435,000	14.3	119	31	7	2	3	11	12	29	24	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	12	2	3	14	15	4	1	1	62	2	35	10	1	1				
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the Registration Area (not included in above)																																						
CITY OF CORK;																																						
Cork City Districts	CORK URBAN, No. 1		13,455	19.4	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" " 2		10,399	10.0	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" " 3		9,793	10.6	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" " 4		9,139	28.5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" " 5		6,250	8.3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" " 6		11,581	18.0	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
	" " 7		16,056	3.2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			
Total City of Cork		76,673	13.6	20	3	1	1	1	4	4	5	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	13	1	7	1	1	1				

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended Saturday, 22nd November, 1924, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.		Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Ophthalmia Neonatorum.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	{	Nov. 1	3	.	.	.	—	9	—	6	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	21	243
		Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	7	20
		Nov. 15	5	.	.	.	—	17	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	15	51
		Nov. 22	1	.	.	.	—	12	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	13	34
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	{	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	—	—	3
		Nov. 8	1	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
		Nov. 15	1	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
		Nov. 22	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
Pembroke Urban District	{	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
		Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
		Nov. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
		Nov. 22	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
Blackrock Urban District	{	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
		Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
		Nov. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
		Nov. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	{	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
		Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
		Nov. 15	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
		Nov. 22	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	{	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	.	3	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	3	—	11
		Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	8
		Nov. 15	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	2	—	8
		Nov. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	7	—	9
City of Limerick	{	Nov. 1	2	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
		Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
		Nov. 15	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
		Nov. 22	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford	{	Nov. 1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	3
		Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
		Nov. 15	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	3
		Nov. 22	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 22nd November, 1924, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES			No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 22nd November			
			Nov. 1	Nov. 8	Nov. 15	No. admitted.	Dis-charged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	..	..	11	7	11	4	4	1	10
Typhus,	..	..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	..	..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	..	..	17	9	3	1	3	.	1
Scarlet Fever,..	..	..	73	68	77	17	13	.	81*
Diphtheria,	..	..	33	32	31	6	5	1	31
Pneumonia,	..	..	26	24	25	5	6	2	22

* Exclusive of 24 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts 14·7 and 14·2; Dublin Registration Area, 14·5 and 14·5; Dublin City, 15·0 and 14·6; Cork, 15·6 and 13·1; Limerick, 16·2 and 15·6; and Waterford, 7·6 and 10·5.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 Town Districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·8 per 1,000. Two of the 9 deaths from all causes for Galway were from diarrhoeal diseases. One of the 23 deaths from all causes for Cork was from diphtheria, and one of the 5 deaths from all causes for Drogheda was from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 208—97 boys and 111 girls—and the deaths to 135—70 males and 65 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 14·5 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-eight weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 15·9 and was 3·3 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-eight weeks was 17·5, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 20·7.

Included in the 121 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, 4 from influenza and 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever were 0; one and 0, deaths from whooping-cough were 0, 0 and 2; deaths from influenza were 0, one and 0, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 6, 2 and 4.

One death from cerebro-spinal meningitis was registered.

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (9 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis and one from generalised tuberculosis), as against 8, 10 and 14 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, and 11 by diseases of the heart.

There were 15 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 10 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia and 4 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 17 deaths.

Three accidental deaths were registered, one (that of a child aged 13 months) being due to scalds.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to cerebro-spinal meningitis, 2 to convulsions, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, and one to congenital debility.

Twenty-nine of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 18 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 33 deaths were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 28 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 121 deaths recorded, 56 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 29th November, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 11·9) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 11·8 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 16·6 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 16·2, and for Edinburgh 18·6.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1923. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

DEATHS.																																		
REGISTRARS, DISTRICTS, &c.			CAUSED BY												IN INSTITUTIONS.																			
ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		TOTAL DEATHS.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Res- piratory System.		In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.						
	FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM PRIN- CIPAL EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES†																			Pulmonary.	Other Forms.		Pneumonia.	Other.				Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.		
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.																																		
Dublin City District	North City, No. 1, E.	32,200	19.4	1.6	12	3	1	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	3	1	7	.	1
	" " 1 W.	44,100	11.8	2.4	10	1	.	.	3	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	5	.	1
	" " 2	29,500	15.9	.	9	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	1	4	.	1
	" " 3	36,600	10.0	.	7	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	4	.	1
	" " 4	5,900	8.8	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	1	1	.	1
	OLCARTER AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	14,400	35.7	3.6	10	4	1	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	1	1	.	1
	COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	11,900	13.1	.	3	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	3	1	1	.	1
	FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	46,100	14.7	.	18	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	1	1	.	1
	SOUTH CITY, No. 1	19,500	8.0	.	3	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	1	1	.	1
	" " 2	46,400	15.7	.	14	4	1	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	.	1
" " 3	35,100	19.3	.	13	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	.	1	
" " 4	11,100	4.7	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	.	1	
NEW KILMAINHAM																																		
Urban Districts.	RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	42,300	16.0	1.2	13	2	1	.	2	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	5	.	.
	PEMBROKE	31,700	11.5	.	7	1	.	.	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	1	4	.	.
	BLACKBROCK	10,100	10.3	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	.	.
	DÚN LAOGHAIRE	17,900	8.7	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	.	.
Total City of Dublin		333,000	15.0	0.6	96	14	8	2	7	20	23	22	.	.	.	1	2	8	3	8	14	15	13	2	33	13	4	.	.	
Total Urban Districts		102,000	12.8	0.5	25	4	1	.	2	6	11	11	.	.	.	1	2	1	1	3	1	4	10	.	13	1	1	.	.	
Total Dublin Registration Area		435,000	14.5	0.6	121	18	9	2	7	22	29	33	.	.	.	1	4	9	3	11	15	19	43	2	43	13	5	.	.	
Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from localities outside the Registration Area (not included in above)																																		
CITY OF CORK.																																		
Cork City Districts	Cork Urban, No. 1	13,455	23.3	5.0	6	1	.	.	3	1	1	2	.	.	1	.	4
	" " 2	10,399	10.0	.	2	1
	" " 3	9,793	5.3	.	1	1
	" " 4	9,139
	" " 5	6,250	33.4	.	4	.	.	.	2	2	1
	" " 6	11,581	22.5	.	5	1	.	.	1	1	1
	" " 7	16,056	16.2	.	5
Total City of Cork		76,673	15.6	0.7	23	3	1	.	3	9	6	4	1	1	2	1	9	2	9	12	2	.	.	

TABLE II — Showing for the week ended Saturday, 29th November, 1924, the number of DEATHS of Residents in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

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TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 29th November, 1924**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Ophthalmia Neonatorum.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	7	20
	Nov. 15	5	.	.	.	—	17	—	3	3	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	.	.	15	51
	Nov. 22	1	.	.	.	—	12	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	13	34
	Nov. 29	3	.	.	.	—	15	—	11	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	.	8	47
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Nov. 8	1	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Nov. 15	1	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Nov. 22	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Nov. 29	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Nov. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Nov. 22	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Nov. 29	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
Blackrock Urban District	Nov. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Nov. 8	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 15	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 22	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 29	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Nov. 8	—	7	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	8
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TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospital during the week ended **Saturday, 29th November, 1924**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 29th November			
	Nov. 8	Nov. 15	Nov. 22	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	7	11	10	1	.	.	11
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, — .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	9	3	1	.	.	.	1
Scarlet Fever,	68	77	81	14	11	.	84*
Diphtheria,	32	31	31	12	16	.	27
Pneumonia,	24	25	22	3	3	.	22

* Exclusive of 20 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts 14·7 and 14·5; Dublin Registration Area, 14·7 and 14·5; Dublin City, 14·1 and 14·6; Cork, 13·6 and 14·1; Limerick, 17·6 and 15·6; and Waterford, 11·4 and 10·5.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 Town Districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·7 per 1,000.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 209—113 boys and 96 girls—and the deaths to 133—70 males and 63 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 10) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 14·7 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-nine weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 15·8 and was 3·4 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-nine weeks was 17·4, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 20·7.

Included in the 123 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 2 from influenza and 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were 0, 2 and one; deaths from diphtheria were 0, one and 0; deaths from influenza were one, 0 and 4, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 2, 4 and 3.

One death from encephalitis lethargica was registered.

Tuberculous disease caused 13 deaths (8 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, 2 from tuberculous peritonitis and 2 from generalised tuberculosis), as against 10, 14 and 12 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, and 15 by diseases of the heart.

There were 17 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 11 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia and 5 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 11 deaths.

Two accidental deaths were registered, one of which was caused by a motor vehicle, and there was one death by suicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to whooping-cough, one to specific disease, 2 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 8 to broncho-pneumonia, one to lobar pneumonia, 2 to pneumonia, 4 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, and 6 to congenital debility.

Thirty-seven of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 31 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 32 deaths were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 25 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 123 deaths recorded, 54 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 6th December, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 11·4) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 12·0 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15·8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15·2, and for Edinburgh 19·6.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 6th December, 1924, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 CITIES or URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

POPULATION.			BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		DEATHS.																	METEOROLOGY *				
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REGISTRARS DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		TOTAL DEATHS.	CAUSED BY													IN INSTI- TUTIONS.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																											
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* The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended Saturday, 6th December, 1924, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Ophthalmia Neonatorum.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Nov. 15	5	.	.	.	—	17	—	3	3	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	.	.	15	51
	Nov. 22	1	.	.	.	—	12	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	13	34
	Nov. 29	3	.	.	.	—	15	—	11	1	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	1	.	8	47
	Dec. 6	—	14	—	15	3	.	—	.	.	.	4	9	45
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Nov. 15	1	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Nov. 22	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	—	3
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	Dec. 6	—	3	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	—	6
Pembroke Urban District	Nov. 15	2	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	.	2
	Nov. 22	2	1	1	.	—	.	.	—	—	.	4
	Nov. 29	4	—	.	.	—	—	.	4
	Dec. 6	2	—	.	.	—	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Nov. 15	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	.	.
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Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Nov. 15	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
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	Nov. 29	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
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City of Cork	Nov. 15	1	—	4	1	—	.	—	.	.	2	—	8
	Nov. 22	—	2	—	.	—	.	.	7	—	9
	Nov. 29	1	.	.	.	1	1	—	7	1	—	.	—	.	.	3	—	14
	Dec. 6	2	—	2	4	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	8
City of Limerick	Nov. 15	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Nov. 22	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Nov. 29	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Dec. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Nov. 15	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	3
	Nov. 22	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Nov. 29	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 6	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospital during the week ended Saturday, 6th December, 1924, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 6th December			
	Nov. 15	Nov. 22	Nov. 29	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	11	10	11	.	2	.	9
Typhus,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	3	1	1	.	1	.	.
Scarlet Fever,...	77	81	84	18	24	.	78*
Diphtheria,	31	31	27	14	2	.	39
Pneumonia,	25	22	22	4	6	1	19

* Exclusive of 20 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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Twelve Town Districts 12·4 and 14·1; Dublin Registration Area, 12·2 and 13·9; Dublin City, 12·1 and 13·9; Cork, 14·3 and 14·3; Limerick, 9·5 and 16·3; and Waterford, 5·7 and 9·5.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 Town Districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·5 per 1,000. One of the 21 deaths from all causes for Cork was from diphtheria, and one of the 6 deaths for Drogheda, and one of the 2 deaths for Sligo were from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 191—110 boys and 81 girls—and the deaths to 108—57 males and 51 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 6) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·2 per 1,000 of the population. During the fifty weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 15·8 and was 3·4 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the fifty weeks was 17·3, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 20·7.

Included in the 102 deaths appertaining to the Area are 2 from whooping-cough, one from influenza and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were 2, one and one; deaths from influenza were 0, 4 and 2, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 4, 3 and 4.

Tuberculous disease caused 6 deaths (5 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and one from miliary tuberculosis), as against 14, 12 and 13 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Twelve deaths were caused by cancer, and 11 by diseases of the heart.

There were 14 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 10 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia and 2 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 9 deaths.

One accidental death, from burns, was registered, and there was one death by homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to whooping-cough, one to meningitis, one to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 6 to broncho-pneumonia, one to lobar pneumonia, one to enteritis, 3 to premature birth, 4 to congenital malformation, and 3 to congenital debility.

Thirty of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 26 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 31 deaths were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 22 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 102 deaths recorded, 39 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 13th December, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 12·3) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 12·1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15·8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15·3, and for Edinburgh 15·0.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Ophthalmia Neonatorum.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Nov. 22	1	.	.	.	—	12	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	13	34
	Nov. 29	3	.	.	.	—	15	—	11	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	8	47
	Dec. 6	.	.	.	.	—	14	—	15	3	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	1	.	9	45
	Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	—	15	—	10	1	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	6	38
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Nov. 22	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Nov. 29	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Dec. 6	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
	Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Nov. 22	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Nov. 29	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Dec. 6	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
Blackrock Urban District	Nov. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Nov. 22	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 29	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Nov. 22	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	7	—	9
	Nov. 29	1	.	.	.	1	1	—	7	1	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	3	—	14
	Dec. 6	2	.	.	.	.	—	—	2	.	.	—	.	4	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	8
	Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	9a
City of Limerick	Nov. 22	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Nov. 29	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Dec. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
City of Waterford	Nov. 22	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Nov. 29	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Dec. 6	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	1	3

(a) Including 2 cases of Pyrexia.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 13th December, 1924, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 13th December			
	Nov. 22	Nov. 29	Dec. 6	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	10	11	9	.	4	.	5
Typhus,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	1	1	.	.	.	.	.
Scarlet Fever, ..	81	84	78	20	14	.	84*
Diphtheria, ..	31	27	39	14	6	.	47
Pneumonia, ..	22	22	19	3	5	.	17

* Exclusive of 19 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

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Twelve Town Districts 17.7 and 14.9; Dublin Registration Area, 17.7 and 14.8; Dublin City, 18.5 and 14.9; Cork, 17.7 and 15.3; Limerick, 12.2 and 13.9; and Waterford, 13.3 and 9.5.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 Town Districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0.7 per 1,000.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 229—127 boys and 102 girls—and the deaths to 166—71 males and 95 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 18) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 17.7 per 1,000 of the population. During the fifty-one weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 15.8 and was 3.5 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the fifty-one weeks was 17.4, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 20.7.

Included in the 148 deaths appertaining to the Area are 2 from diphtheria, one from influenza and 6 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were 0, one and 0; deaths from influenza were 4, 2 and one, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 3, 4 and one.

Tuberculous disease caused 21 deaths (19 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from tuberculous meningitis), as against 12, 13 and 6 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Four deaths were caused by cancer, and 17 by diseases of the heart.

There were 15 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 10 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia and 3 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 12 deaths.

Five accidental deaths were registered, including one caused by burns, one (that of a child aged 2 years) by scalds, one by drowning and one by a motor vehicle, and there was one death by suicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to tuberculosis, one to specific disease, 3 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 5 to broncho-pneumonia, 4 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 6 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation, and 4 to congenital debility.

Forty-one of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 28 being infants under one year, of whom 12 were under one month old, and 29 deaths were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 20 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 148 deaths recorded, 68 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 20th December, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 12.3) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 12.6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 16.2 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15.8, and for Edinburgh 18.3.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended, Saturday, 20th December, 1924, the number of Deaths of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORK, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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† See note (†) at foot of first page.

*The populations given for the City of Cork and its component parishes are those according to the Census of 1911.

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CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.		Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Ophthalmia Neonatorum.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin		Nov. 29	3	.	.	.	—	15	—	11	1	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	1	.	8	47
		Dec. 6	.	.	.	.	—	14	—	15	3	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	9	45
		Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	—	15	—	10	1	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	6	38
		Dec. 20	1	.	.	.	—	15	—	7	2	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	5	33
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District		Nov. 29	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	—	—	2
		Dec. 6	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
		Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
		Dec. 20	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
Pembroke Urban District		Nov. 29	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
		Dec. 6	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
		Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
		Dec. 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District		Nov. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
		Dec. 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
		Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
		Dec. 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District		Nov. 29	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
		Dec. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
		Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	.
		Dec. 20	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	1
City of Cork		Nov. 29	1	.	.	.	1	1	—	7	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	3	—	14
		Dec. 6	2	.	.	.	.	2	—	2	.	.	.	.	4	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	8
		Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	9a
		Dec. 20	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	8	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	13
City of Limerick		Nov. 29	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
		Dec. 6	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
		Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
		Dec. 20	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford		Nov. 29	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
		Dec. 6	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	3
		Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	1	.
		Dec. 20	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	.

(a) Including 2 cases of Pyrexia.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 20th December, 1924, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES				No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 20th December			
				Nov. 29	Dec. 6	Dec. 13	No. admitted.	Dis-charged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	..	..		11	9	5	.	1	.	4
Typhus,	..	..		.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	—	..		.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	..	..		1	.	.	1	.	.	1
Scarlet Fever,..	..	..		84	78	84	16	14	.	86*
Diphtheria,	..	..		27	39	47	8	9	2	44
Pneumonia,	..	..		22	19	17	3	9	.	11

* Exclusive of 17 patients in " Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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Twelve Town Districts, (a) 10·0 and 13·7; Dublin Registration Area, 12·5 and 14·3; Dublin City, 12·5 and 14·3; Cork, 6·8 and 13·1; Limerick, (a) 2·7 and 10·5; and Waterford, 3·8 and 8·6.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 Town Districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·6 per 1,000.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 102—45 boys and 57 girls—and the deaths to 119—64 males and 55 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 15) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·5 per 1,000 of the population. During the fifty-two weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 15·7 and was 3·6 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the fifty-two weeks was 17·3, and during the corresponding periods of the preceding ten years 20·8.

Included in the 104 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from whooping-cough, one from influenza and 5 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were one, 2 and 0; deaths from influenza were 2, one and one, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 4, one and 6.

There was one death from encephalitis lethargica.

Tuberculous disease caused 15 deaths (14 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, and one from miliary tuberculosis), as against 13, 6 and 21 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Three deaths were caused by cancer, and 14 by diseases of the heart.

There were 4 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 12 deaths.

Two accidental deaths were registered, one (that of a child aged 10 months) being caused by burns and one by a motor vehicle.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 5 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation, and 4 to congenital debility.

Twenty-eight of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 24 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 29 deaths were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 16 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 104 deaths recorded, 47 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

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The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15·8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 17·1, and for Edinburgh 13·9.

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(a) See Note (h) at foot of Table I.

TABLE II.—Showing for the week ended, Saturday, 27th December, 1924, the number of Deaths of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in the CITY OF CORKE, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases †; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1924.*	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000. LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.	TOTAL DEATHS.		CAUSED BY																			IN INSTITU- TIONS.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
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TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended Saturday, 27th December, 1924, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Ophthalmia Neonatorum.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Dec. 6	.	.	.	.	—	14	—	15	3	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	9	45
	Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	—	15	—	10	1	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	6	38
	Dec. 20	1	.	.	.	—	15	—	7	2	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	5	33
	Dec. 27	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	8	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	.	4	21
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Dec. 6	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
	Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Dec. 20	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Dec. 27	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
Pembroke Urban District	Dec. 6	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Dec. 20	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Dec. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Dec. 6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 13	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 20	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 27	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	.	.
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Dec. 6	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	.	.
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	Dec. 20	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	.	1
	Dec. 27	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	—	.	.
City of Cork	Dec. 6	2	—	2	4	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	8
	Dec. 13	2	—	4	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	9a
	Dec. 20	2	—	8	2	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	13
	Dec. 27	—	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.
City of Limerick	Dec. 6	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Dec. 13	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
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	Dec. 27	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
City of Waterford	Dec. 6	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Dec. 13	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	1	3
	Dec. 20	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
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(a) Including 2 cases of Pyrexia

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 27th December, 1924, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 27th December			
	Dec 6	Dec. 13	Dec. 20	No. admitted.	Dis-charged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	9	5	4	.	1	.	3
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	.	.	1	2	1	.	2
Scarlet Fever,	78	84	86	13	16	.	83*
Diphtheria,	39	47	44	5	6	.	43
Pneumonia,	19	17	11	8	3	.	16

* Exclusive of 14 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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TWELVE TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eleven principal provincial urban areas of Saorstát Éireann, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 670,256, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Twelve Town Districts, 17·7 and 14·5; Dublin Registration Area, 17·0 and 14·9; Dublin City, 17·4 and 15·1; Cork, 15·0 and 13·5; Limerick, 29·8 and 13·6; and Waterford, 20·9 and 10·9.

The deaths* from the principal epidemic diseases†, registered in the 12 Town Districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·9 per 1,000. Among the 22 deaths from all causes for Limerick were one from scarlet fever, one from influenza and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. One of the 11 deaths from all causes for Waterford was from measles, one of the 5 deaths for Galway was from enteric fever, and the only death returned for Sligo was one from whooping-cough.

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the total number of births registered during the week amounted to 229—119 boys and 110 girls—and the deaths to 159—77 males and 82 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 17) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 17·0 per 1,000 of the population. During the fifty-three weeks ending with Saturday last, the death rate averaged 15·8 and was 3·5 below the mean rate for the ten years 1914–1923. The rate for all deaths registered during the fifty-three weeks was 17·4, and during the preceding ten years 20·8.

Included in the 142 deaths appertaining to the Area are 6 from whooping-cough, one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years and 2 from influenza. In the three preceding weeks deaths from whooping-cough were 2, 0 and one; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were one, 6 and 5, and deaths from influenza were one, one and one.

Tuberculous disease caused 19 deaths (15 of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis and 2 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 6, 21 and 15 from all forms of tuberculosis in the three weeks preceding.

Thirteen deaths were caused by cancer, and 8 by diseases of the heart.

There were 17 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 7 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia and 8 from pneumonia (not otherwise defined). Bronchitis caused 15 deaths.

Five accidental deaths were registered, including one (that of a child aged 1½ years) caused by scalds, one by drowning and 2 by motor vehicles.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to whooping-cough, one to general tuberculosis, 4 to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, one to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, one to congenital malformation, and 3 to congenital debility.

Thirty-three of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 21 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 40 deaths were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, of whom 32 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 142 deaths recorded, 53 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 3rd January, in 105 large English towns (including London, in which the rate was 14·5) was equal to an average annual death-rate of 14·1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 17·0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 18·1, and for Edinburgh 18·0.

* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ended Saturday, 3rd January, 1925, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, in each of the under-mentioned 11 Cities or URBAN DISTRICTS, and in BELFAST and LONDONDERRY CITIES (exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to Persons admitted from other Districts) the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also particulars regarding Births, Deaths and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

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POPULATION.			Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by			BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		BIRTHS		Caused by															Air Temperature.												
Total (a)		Per-sons to an Acre.	From all Causes.		From principal Epidemic Diseases. (b)	TOTAL NUMBER.		Under 1 year of Age.		At 65 years and upwards.		Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Pulmonary.		Tuber-culosis.		Cancer.	Pneumonia.		Other.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis in children under 15 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.				
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)					
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42,300			24.7	18.5	17.3	1.2	15	14	1	6	1	1	.	.	.	2	3	2
31,700			20.2	26.3	14.8	.	16	9	3	4	1	1
10,100			9.3	15.5	10.3	.	3	2	1	1	
17,900			12.2	14.6	17.5	.	5	6	1	2	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	1	2	.	52	48.2	37.4	42.8	1.37		
CORK CITY																																							
76,673			28.6	35.4	15.0	.	52	22	2	5	2	2	1	.	3	.	.	.	1	1	12	5	
38,518			16.1	58.2	29.8	2.7	43	22	5	4	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	
27,464			19.1	41.8	20.9	1.9	22	11	1	8	1	1	1	1	1	3	
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13,128			9.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	8	2	1		
12,501			8.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	8	7	.	3	1	
11,531			22.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	7	7	.	3	1	
11,163			2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	7	1	
10,514			11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4	9	7	.	2	1	
10,300			17.4	17.4	17.4	17.4	5	4	1	1	1	
10,209			4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	3	4	1	2	
BELFAST CITY																																							
434,000			29.1	22.9	18.0	1.4	191	150	45	29	4	1	18	4	10	30	20	1	4	.	1	1	35	5	50.0	32.0	44.6	35.7	40.1	1.05
47,000			18.2	25.5	21.1	3.3	23	19	3	3	.	3	1	1	2	.	2	1
LONDON																																							
4,564,109			—	21.8	14.5	—	1907	1267	145	495	1	8	30	.	.	.	17	86	21	115	123	137	18	3	63	151	633	.	55	35	49.7	39.7	44.7	1.35	
EDINBURGH																																							
427,500			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1,051,000			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area with its component parts, and Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1924. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1923. The population given for Glasgow and Edinburgh is that estimated to the middle of 1924. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page. (c) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (d) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (e) Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (f) Markree. (g) The Return for Sligo No. 2 has not been received.

* Hours of bright sunshine during the week: — 11.2 at Phoenix Park; 7.1 at Trinity College; 8 at Botanic Gardens; 12.5 at Dún Laoghaire and 8.2 at Markree.

DEATHS,

* The populations given for the City of Cork and its constituent parts are those according to the Census of 1911.

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TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Dún Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended **Saturday, 3rd January, 1925**, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ended	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Ophthalmia Neonatorum.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Varicella.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	—	15	—	10	1	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	6	38
	Dec. 20	1	.	.	.	—	15	—	7	2	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	5	33
	Dec. 27	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	8	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	.	4	21
	Jan. 3	1	.	.	.	—	14	—	7	.	1	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	7	34
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Dec. 20	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Dec. 27	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Jan. 3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Dec. 20	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Dec. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 3	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Dún Laoghaire Urban District	Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 20	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 27	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Jan. 3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
City of Cork	Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	9a
	Dec. 20	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	8	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	13
	Dec. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	4
	Jan. 3	2	.	.	.	.	1	—	3	.	1	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	1	—	8
City of Limerick	Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Dec. 20	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Dec. 27	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Jan. 3	1	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	—	—	2b
City of Waterford	Dec. 13	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	1	3
	Dec. 20	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	1
	Dec. 27	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	.	.
	Jan. 3	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	—	—	—	1	3

(a) Including 2 cases of Pyrexia. (b) Including one case of Pyrexia.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended **Saturday, 3rd January, 1925**, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 3rd January			
	Dec. 13	Dec. 20	Dec. 27	No. admitted.	Discharged	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	5	4	3	1	3	.	1
Typhus,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	.	1	2	2	.	.	4
Scarlet Fever,	84	86	83	11	9	1	84*
Diphtheria,	47	44	43	14	10	.	47
Pneumonia,	17	11	16	3	2	1	16

* Exclusive of 20 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

